

# **DR ZAKIR NAIK A BRIEF PROFILE**







In the Name of Allah, The Compassionate, The Merciful

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Dr Zakir Abdul Karim Naik's significant service for 'Islamic Da'wah' – promoting the proper presentation, understanding and excellence of Islam – is acclaimed worldwide.

Presented alongwith is a gist of photographs, brief information, awards received and media reports appreciating Dr Zakir Naik's sincere contribution and unmitigated efforts for 'Islamic Da'wah' the world over.

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– Editorial Team





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# DR ZAKIR NAIK – A BRIEF INTRODUCTION

A medical doctor by professional training, Dr Zakir Naik is renowned as a dynamic international orator on Islam and Comparative Religion. He is the President of Islamic Research Foundation, Mumbai, India. He is 49 years old. Dr Zakir clarifies Islamic viewpoints and clears misconceptions about Islam, using the Qur'an, authentic Hadith and other religious Scriptures as a basis, in conjunction with reason, logic and scientific facts. He is popular for his critical analysis and convincing answers to challenging questions posed by audiences after his public talks.

In the last 20 years Dr Zakir Naik has Alhamdulillah delivered over 2000 public talks in the USA, Canada, England, Scotland, Italy, France, Saudi Arabia, UAE, Kuwait, Qatar, Bahrain, Oman, Egypt, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Botswana, Nigeria, Ghana, Gambia, Morocco, Algeria, Indonesia, Malaysia, Singapore, Brunei, Thailand, Hong Kong, China, Guyana, Trinidad, Mauritius, Sri Lanka, Maldives and many other countries, in addition to numerous public talks in India. In March 2012, his public talk in Kishanganj, Bihar, in India was MashaAllah attended by over one million people, being one of the largest gathering in the world for any religious lecture by a lone orator.

Amongst the billion plus population of India Dr Zakir Naik was ranked No. 82 in 'The 100 Most Powerful Indians' list published by Indian Express in the year 2009 and ranked No. 89 in 2010. He was ranked No. 3 in the 'Top 10 Spiritual Gurus of India in 2009' and topped this list in 2010. He was ranked in the top 70 list of the '500 Most Influential Muslims in the World' issued annually by Georgetown University, USA, in the years 2011, 2012, 2013/14 and 2014/15.

He has successfully participated in several symposia and dialogues with prominent personalities of other faiths. His public dialogue with Dr William Campbell (of USA) on the topic, "The Qur'an and the Bible in the Light of Science" held in Chicago, USA, on 1st April 2000 was a resounding success. His interfaith Dialogue with prominent Hindu Guru Sri Sri Ravi Shankar on the topic, "The Concept of God in Hinduism and Islam in the Light of Sacred Scriptures" held at Palace Grounds, Bangalore, on 21st January 2006, was highly appreciated by people of both faiths.

Shaikh Ahmed Deedat, the world famous orator on Islam and Comparative Religion." Alhamdulillah." who had called Dr Zakir "Deedat Plus" in 1994, presented a plaque in May 2000 with the engraving "Awarded to Dr Zakir Abdul-Karim Naik for his achievement in the field of Da'wah and the study of Comparative Religion." "Son what you have done in 4 years had taken me 40 years to accomplish, Alhamdulillah."

The Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques King Salman bin Abdul Aziz Al-Saud presented the prestigious 'King Faisal International Prize' - 2015 for 'Service to Islam' to Dr Zakir Naik on 1st March 2015 in Riyadh. This prize is the most Prestigious Prize in the Muslim World, similar to the Nobel Prize. The prize consisted of a certificate indicating Dr Zakir's achievements, a commemorative 24-carat 200-gram gold medal and Saudi Riyals 750,000 (US \$ 200,000). The entire prize money was donated by Dr Zakir Naik to the Waqf of Peace TV Network.

Shaikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President & Prime Minister of UAE and Ruler of Dubai, presented the prestigious Dubai International Holy Qur'an Award's 'Islamic Personality of 2013' Award and Citation to Dr Zakir Naik on 29th July 2013, for providing outstanding service to Islam and Muslims at a global level in Media, Education and Philanthropy. Along with he received a reward of UAE Dirhams 1 million (US \$ 272,000) which he donated to start a Waqf (endowment) fund for Peace TV Network. Dr Zakir at 47 years then, was the youngest recipient of the award.

The Agong, Tuanku Abdul Halim Mu'adzam Shah, the King of Malaysia, presented to Dr Zakir Naik the highest award of Malaysia the 'Tokoh Ma'al Hijrah Distinguished International Personality Award for the Year 2013' for his significant service and contribution to the development of Islam on 5th November 2013. Also presented to Dr Zakir was a citation plaque signed by the Prime Minister of Malaysia Datuk Seri Mohd. Najib Razak.

Shaikh Dr. Sultan bin Mohammed Al Qasimi, Ruler of Sharjah, conferred on Dr Zakir Naik the 'Sharjah Award for Voluntary Work' for the year 2013, for his voluntary service for Islam on an international scale, on 16th January 2014.

Dr Yahya Jammeh, the President of the Republic of The Gambia conferred Dr Zakir Naik with 'The Insignia of the Commander of the National Order of the Republic of The Gambia' the Highest National Award in The Gambia on 15th October 2014. He was also presented an Honorary Doctorate — 'Doctor of Humane Letters' (Honoris Causa) — by the Vice Chancellor of the University of The Gambia, in recognition of his outstanding contribution and dissemination of knowledge in promoting research and delivery of community services internationally.

As of April 2015 Dr Zakir Naik Alhamdulillah received more than 7.0 million likes on his Facebook Page in less than 2 years, it being not only one of the highest amongst the Muslim English Speakers on Religion but also one of the highest amongst any English Speaker on Religion in the world. YouTube Vice President, Tom Pickett, certified Dr Zakir as 'awesome' for his 'likes' and 'popularity' on YouTube.

Dr Zakir Naik appears regularly on many International TV channels in over 200 countries of the world. He is regularly invited for TV and Radio interviews. Over a hundred of his talks, dialogues, debates and symposia are available on DVDs. He has authored many books on Islam and Comparative Religion.

Dr Zakir Naik is the ideologue and driving force behind Peace TV Network. He launched Peace TV English, in January 2006, it being the largest watched 'Islamic' as well as 'any Religious' Satellite TV channel presently in the world, with over 100 million viewership, of which 25% are Non-Muslims. In its footsteps he launched Peace TV Urdu in June 2009, Peace TV Bangla in April 2011 and will In Sha Allah launch Peace TV Chinese in October 2015. In Sha Allah, he plans to expand the Peace TV Network to cover the ten major languages of the world.



Dr  
Zakir  
Naik

Momentous  
Milestones

1987



Met Shaikh Ahmed Deedat

1991

MBBS  
(Bachelor of Medicine  
Bachelor of Surgery)  
graduation

1991

**IRF**

Islamic  
Research  
Foundation  
established

1993

1st Public  
Lecture and  
Debate

1993

**IRF**

LADIES' WING

Islamic  
Research  
Foundation  
Ladies Wing  
formed

1994

1st International  
Lecture Tour to  
South Africa

1994

1999

1st International  
Da'wah Training  
Programme  
conducted

2000



Outstanding Appreciation Plaque  
from pioneer International Da'ee  
Shaikh Ahmed Deedat

2000

Historic  
Debate with  
Dr William  
Campbell  
in Chicago,  
1st April 2000

2001



Islamic  
International  
School, Mumbai,  
started

2001

All India  
Da'wah Training  
Programme  
conducted

2006



PeaceTV  
ENGLISH

Peace TV English  
launched with the  
Live Telecast  
worldwide of the  
Dialogue with  
Sri Sri Ravi Shankar  
in Bangalore,  
26 January 2006

2007

First International  
Islamic Peace  
Conference  
(English)

held at  
Somaia  
Grounds,  
Mumbai



2007



Invited by  
King Abdullah  
bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud  
of Saudi Arabia  
as an honoured  
guest at his palace  
in Riyadh

2008

Second International  
Islamic Peace  
Conference  
(Urdu)

held at  
Somaia  
Grounds,  
Mumbai

2009



Listed in '100 Most  
Powerful Indians  
in 2009'  
by Indian Express

2009



PeaceTV  
URDU

Peace TV  
Urdu  
launched



2009



Third International Islamic Peace Conference (English)

held at Somaiya Grounds, Mumbai



United Islamic Aid

launched to alleviate the suffering of the many poor and needy in Education, Healthcare and Economic Backwardness

2010



Listed in '100 Most Powerful Indians in 2010' by Indian Express

2010



Fourth International Islamic Peace Conference (Urdu)

held at Somaiya Grounds, Mumbai

2011



Peace TV BANGLA launched

2011



Mentioned in the leading 70 list of the most influential Muslims in the world in 'The Muslim 500' for years 2011, 2012, 2013/14, 2014/15 & 2016

2011



Islamic International Junior College, Mumbai, started

2011



Fifth International Islamic Peace Conference (Urdu)

held at Somaiya Grounds, Mumbai

2013



Dubai International Holy Qur'an Award's 'Islamic Personality of the Year 2013' from Govt. of Dubai, UAE

2013



'Tokoh Ma'al Hijrah 1435/2013' international-level award from the Govt. of Malaysia

2014



'Sharjah Award for Voluntary Work 2013' from the Govt. of Sharjah, UAE

2014



'The Insignia of the Commander of the National Order of the Republic of The Gambia', The Highest National Award in The Gambia, from the Govt. of The Gambia', Africa

2014



Honorary Doctorate 'Doctor of Humane Letters' (Honoris Causa), conferred by the University of The Gambia, The Gambia

2015



'King Faisal International Prize' 2015 for 'Service to Islam' from King Faisal Foundation, Saudi Arabia



## SAUDI ARABIA

King Faisal International Prize for Service to Islam in 2015

## DUBAI

Dubai International Holy Quran Award for Islamic Personality of the Year in 2013

## MALAYSIA

Tokoh Ma'al Hijrah 1435/2013 International-level Award in 2013

## SHARJAH

Sharjah Award for Voluntary Work in 2014

## GAMBIA

The Insignia of the Commander of the National Order  
of the Republic of The Gambia in 2014

# INTERNATIONAL AWARDS





# AWARD

## KING FAISAL INTERNATIONAL PRIZE 2015 FOR SERVICE TO ISLAM

King Salman bin Abdul Aziz Al-Saud of Saudi Arabia presented Dr Zakir Naik with the most prestigious award of the Muslim world, the 'King Faisal International Prize 2015' for 'Service to Islam'









## King Faisal International Prize for Service to Islam 2015 / 1436 H

The King Faisal Foundation, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, conferred on Dr Zakir Naik the prestigious 'King Faisal International Prize 2015' for 'Service to Islam', the Most Acclaimed Award in the Muslim World, similar to The Nobel Prize, for his 'renowned authority in Comparative Religion' and 'promoting Peace TV.'

The Award Ceremony was held under the auspices of King Salman bin Abdul Aziz Al-Saud of Saudi Arabia at a grand ceremony at Prince Sultan Grand Hall, Faisaliah Center, Riyadh, on 1st March 2015 where King Salman presented Dr Zakir Naik with the 'King Faisal International Prize 2015' for 'Service to Islam'. Over 2000 guests from the elite in the government, public figures and foreign dignitaries in Riyadh attended the glittering event.

Dr Zakir Naik joins the League of Eminent 'King Faisal Awardees' for 'Service to Islam' like



**Sayyid Abul Ala'a  
Al-Maududi**  
Pakistan - 1979



**Sayyid Abul-Hasan  
Al-Nadawi**  
India - 1980



**King Khalid Bin Abdul  
Aziz Al-Saud**  
Saudi Arabia - 1981



**Shaikh Abdul Aziz Bin  
Abdullah Bin Baaz**  
Saudi Arabia - 1982



**King Fahd Bin Abdul  
Aziz Al-Saud**  
Saudi Arabia - 1984



**Shaikh Ahmed  
Deedat**  
South Africa - 1986



**Shaikh Muhammad  
Bin Saleh Al-Uthaimin**  
Saudi Arabia - 1994



**Dr Abdul Rahman  
Al-Sumait**  
Kuwait - 1996



**Dr Mahathir  
Muhammad**  
Malaysia - 1997



**Shaikh Dr Sultan Bin  
Muhammad Al-Qasimi**  
Sharjah, UAE - 2002



**King Abdullah Bin  
Abdul Aziz Al-Saud**  
Saudi Arabia - 2008



**Recep Tayyip Erdogan**  
Turkey - 2010



**Dr Zakir Naik**  
India - 2015

الفائز

الملك فيصل بن عبدالعزيز آل سعود  
لخدمة الإسلام لعام ١٤٣٦ هـ  
دكتور عبد الكريم نائيك



King Faisal  
INTERNATIONAL PRIZE

## DR ZAKIR NAIK CONFERRED KING FAISAL INTERNATIONAL PRIZE 2015 FOR SERVICE TO ISLAM

Dr. Zakir Naik was awarded the King Faisal International Prize in recognition of his outstanding services to Islam, including the following:

- For being the most renowned non-Arabic speaking propagators of Islam and defender of its teachings on the basis of the Glorious Qur'an and authentic Sunnah.
- For founding, 'Peace TV Network' – a series of satellite TV channels broadcasted worldwide in English, Urdu and Bangla languages, specializing in Islam and Comparative Religion. The viewers of the English channel are estimated to exceed 100 million.
- For establishing a series of Islamic schools, in India. These schools train non-Arab students from an early age in Arabic language and Qura'nic studies, in addition to regular classes of Internationally acclaimed curricula in English.



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<b>مؤسسة فيصل الخيرية</b> <b>King Faisal Foundation</b> صندوق 352، الرياض 11411 - المملكة العربية السعودية P.O. Box 352, Riyadh 11411 - Kingdom of Saudi Arabia		مكان الإصدار: الرياض Place of Issue: Riyadh
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The amount of <b>Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand. Riyals</b>		ريال SAR <b>*750,000.00*</b>
<b>SABB ساب</b> The Saudi British Bank الفرع الرئيسي - الرياض Head Office - Riyadh P.O. Box 10000 - الرياض 11513 P.O. Box 10000 - Riyadh 11513 Tel: 800 800 8000 Tel: 800 800 8000		التوقيع

Dr Zakir Naik Donated the entire amount of SR 750,000/- (equivalent to US \$200,000/-) for the Waqf (Endowment) Fund for Peace TV.



Nicki's mother, who lives in the UK, says Nicki is a "very happy, outgoing, confident, and intelligent" child. She says Nicki is a "very happy, outgoing, confident, and intelligent" child. She says Nicki is a "very happy, outgoing, confident, and intelligent" child.



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**Khaleej Times**

**Indian scholar wins Saudi prize for service to Islam**

(AFP) / 3 March 2015

*Zakir Naik was one of five recipients of the King Faisal International Prize from King Salman for being one of the most revered non-Arabic speaking promoters of Islam.*



*Saudi King Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud presenting Zakir Naik with the 2015 King Faisal International Prize for Service to Islam in Riyadh. - AFP*

**24 NEWS**

**India's Dr Zakir Naik wins King Faisal award**

last updated: Tuesday, February 3, 2015 10:40

(Zakir: Dr Zakir A. Naik, a non-Arabic, Indian Islamic scholar and a renowned authority on comparative religion, has won the prestigious King Faisal International Prize for his service to Islam.

Makkah Governor Prince Khaled Al-Faisal and KFIP Secretary-General Abdullah Al-Othaimeen announced the names of five prize's winners on Tuesday in Riyadh, Arab News reported.

The prize consists of a handwritten Arabic certificate accompanying the laureate's work, a commemorative 24-carat, 200-gram gold medal and a cash award of 750,000 Saudi Riyal (\$201,190,000).

Naik, 68, is the founder of the Islamic Research Foundation of India.

Naik, a non-Arabic Indian Islamic scholar has become a renowned authority on comparative religion, Al-Ghazaleen said.

Referring to the prize given in science category, the KFIP secretary general said that Naik, a professor at Islamic Tachkent Institute, is recognized for "his foundational and practical discoveries in the development of photo-electrochemical systems for solar energy conversion."

Two internationally acclaimed professors of chemistry, Professor Umar Musayen Naik from the UK and Professor Willem Oosterhuis from Switzerland, were declared co-winners of the prize in science category (Alghazaleen).



**arab news**

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Dr. Zakir Naik wins King Faisal award | Arab News

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**Dr. Zakir Naik wins King Faisal award**

Dr. Zakir A. Naik, president of the Islamic Research Foundation of India, won the 2015 King Faisal International Prize (KFIP) for Service to Islam on Tuesday.

Makkah Gov. Prince Khaled Al-Faisal and KFIP Secretary-General Abdullah Al-Othaimeen announced the names of the winners at a glittering function held at Al-Khozama Center.

**Times of Oman**

TUE, MAR 03, 2015

**Zakir Naik receives Saudi prize for service to Islam**

BY PTI | MARCH 02, 2015, 9:56 PM GST



A handout picture released by the King Faisal Foundation on Sunday shows Saudi King Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud (L) presenting Zakir Naik, president of the Islamic Research Foundation in India, with the 2015 King Faisal International Prize for Service to Islam in Riyadh. Photo - AFP

**आज तक**

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**इस्लाम की सेवा के लिए जाकिर नाइक को सज्दी अरब में पुरस्कार**

जाकिर नाइक [Edited By: मनुभा चौधरी] | पृष्ठ: 2 मार्च 2015 | अपडेट: 16:13:07

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जाकिर नाइक

भारतीय इस्लामी विद्वान और तुलनात्मक धर्म विद्वान डॉ. जाकिर नाइक को सज्दी अरब के नर शाह ने इस्लाम धर्म के प्रति उनकी सेवा के लिए टैग के सबसे प्रतिष्ठित पुरस्कारों में से एक से सम्मानित किया।

शह सल्मान ने विद्वान को एक वास्तविक पुरस्कार समारोह में किंग फैसल अंतरराष्ट्रीय पुरस्कार (KFIP) प्रदान किया। ये पुरस्कार पांच श्रेणियों - इस्लाम की सेवा, इस्लामिक अध्ययन, अरबी भाषा एवं साहित्य, विज्ञान और डिजिटल में दिए जाते हैं। हर पुरस्कार के साथ विजेता को उपस्थिती से कुछ अरबों का एक हस्ताक्षरित प्रमाणपत्र, एक 24 कैरेट 200 ग्राम सोने का समारोह पदक और 2,00,000 रियाल की पुरस्कार राशि दी जाती है।



# AWARD

## DUBAI INTERNATIONAL HOLY QURAN AWARD ISLAMIC PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR 2013

Shaikh Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum,  
Vice President & Prime Minister of the UAE &  
Ruler of Dubai, presented the Dubai International  
Holy Quran Award's 'Islamic Personality of 2013'  
Award to Dr Zakir Naik.





## Dubai International Holy Quran Award for Islamic Personality of the Year 2013 / 1434 H Award

The award presented by Dubai International Holy Quran Award (DIHQA) comes in recognition of his efforts to spread the message of Islam and promote peace at a global level with his initiatives in education, media and philanthropy.

At 47, he has become the youngest recipient of the award and the second Indian to receive the honour after Sayyid Abul Hassan Al Nadawi.

He is now acclaimed among the league of Islamic Luminaries that includes Shaikh Yousuf Al Qardawi, Shaikh Mohammad Al Shirawi, Shaikh Abdul Rahman Al Sudais and others.



**Shaikh Mohammad  
Al Shirawi**  
Egypt - 1997



**Sayyid Abul Hassan  
Al Nadawi**  
India - 1998



**Shaikh Zayed bin  
Sultan Al Nahyan**  
UAE - 1999



**Dr Yousuf Al  
Qardawi**  
Egypt - 2000



**Shaikh Abdul  
Rahman Al Sudais**  
Saudi Arabia - 2005



**President Abdul Rahman  
Siwar Al Dahab**  
Sudan - 2009



**Shaikh Khalifa  
Zayed Al Nahyan**  
UAE - 2010



**Dr Zakir Naik**  
India - 2013







## DR ZAKIR NAIK CONFERRED THE DUBAI INTERNATIONAL HOLY QURAN AWARD FOR ISLAMIC PERSONALITY OF THE YEAR 1434 Hijri

The Dubai International Holy Quran Award Committee under the patronage of Shaikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al-Makhtoum, The Vice President of UAE and Ruler of Dubai, has appreciated Dr Zakir Naik's service to Islam and conferred him with The Dubai International Holy Quran Award for Islamic Personality of the Year 1434 Hijri.



- Dr Zakir Naik Donated the entire amount AED 1,000,000/- (equivalent to US \$272,000/-) for the Waqf (Endowment) of Peace TV.





# Khaleej Times

TUESDAY JULY 30, 2013 RAMADAN 25, 1434

## Dr Zakir Naik to donate Dh1m award money

Popular preacher and this year's Islamic Personality of the Year of Quran award speaks about his journey.

**INTERVIEW**

Muaz Shabandri

One of the world's most popular Islamic preachers, Dr Zakir Naik has announced his intention to donate the cash reward of Dh1 million for being chosen as the 'Islamic Personality of the Year'.

The award presented by Dubai International Holy Quran

doubts. Some of them come prepared to say the Shahadah on a public platform. I remember, at the Peace Conference hosted in Mumbai, a group of 15 people converted to Islam.

With his increasing popularity, he has had his fair share of controversies and criticisms. At times, prominent religious figures have raised objections over his views and remarks.

Taking the criticism with a grain of salt, he believed it was inevitable because of his growing popularity.

"Anyone who is popular in their profession gets targeted."







# AWARD

## TOKOH MA'AL HIJRAH 1435 / 2013 INTERNATIONAL AWARD

The Yang Di-Pertuan Agong, Tuanku Abdul Halim Mu'adzam Shah, the King of Malaysia, presented the international-level Tokoh Ma'al Hijrah 1435 / 2013 award to Dr Zakir Naik for his significant service and contribution to the development of Islam.







## Tokoh Ma'al Hijrah 1435 / 2013 International Award

The Government of Malaysia conferred the prestigious Tokoh Ma'al Hijrah 1435 / 2013 award on Dr Zakir Naik for his extensive contributions towards promoting the message of Islam at the international level and exemplary efforts for the Muslim Ummah in particular and the world at large.

Also presented to Dr Zakir Naik was a citation plaque signed by the Prime Minister of Malaysia Datuk Seri Mohd. Najib Razak.

**Star**  
Wednesday 6 November 2013

### King: Preserve unity and practise moderation

'We must uphold peace and harmony of the country'

**BY THE KING**  
**ABDUL HALIM MU'ADZAM SHAH**

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The award ceremony took place at the Istana Negara in Kuala Lumpur yesterday.

Dr Zakir Naik, a Muslim preacher from Mumbai, India, is the recipient of the national-level Tokoh Ma'al Hijrah award this year.

The recipient for the international-level award is Dr Zakir Abdul Karim Naik, a Muslim preacher from Mumbai, India.

They received RM100,000 each, a medal and a certificate each.

Abdul Hamid, 69, who holds a Masters degree from the Al-Azhar University in Egypt, had served as Mara chairman, an MP and senator, as well as Jakim director-general.

"I am overwhelmed to be given this award. It is an honour for me and my family," he said in his speech.

Dr Zakir Naik, the founder of the Islamic Research Foundation, is a graduate in medicine and surgery from University of Bombay, Mumbai.

"Thanks to the Malaysian government for this recognition. I am very happy to get this award and wish to thank all Malaysians for accepting me as an Islamic preacher in the country," he said.

# NEW STRAITS TIMES

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2013

## PRIME NEWS

# Live in tolerance and moderation, says king

**NEW YEAR MESSAGE:**  
Togetherness within diversity emphasised in Maal Hijrah address

**AZURA ABAS  
AND A. AZIM IDRIS**  
PUTRAJAYA  
newspoint.com.my

**Y**ANG di-Pertuan Agong Tuanku Abdul Halim Mu'adzam Shah has urged Malaysians to be vigilant of those who upset the nation's harmony and unity.

He expressed his concern that the spirit of "togetherness within diversity" among the people was being threatened and corroded by several quarters that raised sensitive issues and slogans.

The king said issues that involved



Yang di-Pertuan Agong **Tuanku Abdul Halim Mu'adzam Shah** presenting scholar **Dr Zakir Abdul Karim Naik** with the international-level Tokoh Ma'al Hijrah Award in Putrajaya yesterday. *Bernama pic*

**the malay mail**  
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### Dr Zakir Naik receives Tokoh Maal Hijrah award

**PROUD DAY: Dr Zakir (left) and Abdul Hamid with their Tokoh Maal Hijrah awards.**

**FORMER Minister in the Prime Minister's Department** Tan Sri Abdul Hamid Zainal Abidin is the recipient of the national-level Tokoh Maal Hijrah award this year.

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Dr Zakir Naik, the founder of the Islamic Research Foundation, is a graduate in medicine and surgery from University of Bombay, Mumbai.

"Thanks to the Malaysian government for this recognition. I am very happy to get this award and wish to thank all Malaysians for accepting me as an Islamic preacher in the country," he said.



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**Abdul Hamid, Zakir Tokoh Maal Hijrah**

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Anugerah Tokoh Maal Hijrah itu disampaikan oleh Yang di-Pertuan Agong, Tuanku Abdul Halim Mu'adzam Shah di Pusat Konvensyen Antarabangsa Putrajaya (PICC) di sini.

Pemilihan dua tokoh itu berdasarkan sambutan yang mengorbankan dalam perjuangan syiar Islam dan juga pembangunan ummah di peringkat negara dan juga global.

Menurut Abdul Hamid, pengiktirafan itu merupakan penghargaan tertinggi dan pelengkap kepada berjaya beliau selama 65 tahun dalam perkhidmatan awam.

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## Abdul Hamid, Zakir Naik tokoh Maal Hijrah 1435 Kebangsaan



**ZAKIR NAIK (kanan) dan Abdul Hamid Zainal Abidin bersama anugerah Tokoh Maal Hijrah 1435 yang diterima di Putrajaya semalam.**

Sementara itu, pendakwah antarabangsa yang juga Presiden Yayasan Penyelidikan Islam Muis, Dr. Zakir Abdul Karim Naik, yang lebih dikenali sebagai Dr. Zakir Naik dari India memberitahu, penghargaan media sebagai tokoh Maal Hijrah 1435 merupakan penghargaan tertinggi dan pelengkap kepada berjaya beliau selama 65 tahun dalam perkhidmatan awam.

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**'மால் ஹிஜரா' கொண்டாட்டம்**

மலேசியா

# நண்பன்

புத்தா ஜெயாவில் மாஅல் ஹிஜரா கொண்



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■馬來西亞總理納吉(左起)、納吉夫人、副總理哈山尼、副總理安努瓦羅、副總理羅茲瑪以及嘉賓和伊歷新年領袖頒獎典禮，盛裝出席伊歷新年活動。

## 國家元首吁國民 摒棄部落文化和睦共處

【本報3日訊】國家元首哈山尼在馬六甲州峇株巴轄市，向當地華人、馬來人、印度人、泰米爾人、以及來自世界各地的移民，致以節日問候。他呼籲國民摒棄部落文化，以「包容及和諧」為宗旨，共同建設國家。

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■哈山尼(中)頒發伊歷新年領袖獎給來自印度的南主查爾醫生(右)，表揚其貢獻；左為意米基爾。

納吉說，政府會時常聆聽各階段的意見，包括華人社區。他強調，政府將以國家憲法為根本，推動各項改革。

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# AWARD

## SHARJAH AWARD FOR VOLUNTARY WORK 2013

Shaikh Sultan Bin Mohammed Bin Sultan Al Qasimi, Crown Prince and Deputy Ruler of Sharjah, presented Dr Zakir Naik the award for his Voluntary Service for Islam on an international scale.









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### Sultan forms Sharjah RTA

His Highness Dr. Sultan bin Mohammed Al Qasimi, Supreme Council Member and Ruler of Sharjah, has issued a series of orders on Thursday, including one establishing the Sharjah Roads and Transport Authority (SRTA).

The RTA will be headed by Dr. Sultan bin Mohammed Al Qasimi, who will also serve as its Chairman. The RTA will be responsible for the planning, construction, operation and maintenance of the roads and transport infrastructure in Sharjah.

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### Projects worth Dh229 million across nation approved

The Sharjah Department of Statistics and Community Development has approved a list of projects worth Dh229 million across the nation. The projects include the construction of dams and roads, extension and installation of power lines, and the supply of medical equipment.

This comes in implementation of the directives of His Highness Dr. Sultan bin Mohammed Al Qasimi, Member of the Supreme Council of UAE and the Ruler of Sharjah.

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# AWARD

## THE INSIGNIA OF THE COMMANDER OF THE NATIONAL ORDER OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE GAMBIA

Dr Yahya Jammeh, President of the Republic of The Gambia, presented the Highest National Award in The Gambia, 'The Insignia of the Commander of the National Order of the Republic of The Gambia' to Dr Zakir Naik in October 2014.









## The Insignia of the Commander of the National Order of the Republic of The Gambia

Honourable Shaikh Professor AlHaj Dr Yahya Jammeh, President of the Republic of the Gambia and Honourable Balla Garba Jahumpa, Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Co-operation, conferred Dr Zakir Naik with 'The Insignia of the Commander of the National Order of the Republic of The Gambia', the highest national award in The Gambia on 15th October 2014.



# JAMMEH ASSURES GAMBIANS OF GREATER OPPORTUNITIES AHEAD

## As country celebrates 20th Revolution anniversary

By MUSA NDIAS

The president of the Republic has highlighted the numerous achievements brought about his government, ushered in by the July 22nd Revolution, pledging that more opportunities in terms of development and improved livelihood await Gambians. He spoke of his government's desire once again to turn The Gambia from a "least developed country to an economic super power status in the next few years without fail". He said they cannot fail to achieve this noble objective because as he puts it, "The Almighty Allah does not let his faithful servants down".

His Excellency Sheikh Prof. Ali. Dr. Yahya Jammeh Bahdi Mause was speaking Friday as he led tens of thousands of celebrants at the Independence Stadium in Bakau to mark the 20th anniversary of the July 22nd Revolution.

The event was graced by the presidents of Guinea Bissau, the Islamic Republic of Mauritania and Senegal, as well as the world renowned scholar and president, Dr. Zakir Naik, the Ghanese speaker, representatives of other allies of The Gambia as well as other dignitaries.

Also present at the event were their Excellencies Madam Zineh Yahya Jammeh, the First Lady of the Republic of The Gambia, the vice president and minister of Women's Affairs, Aja Dr. Idriss Njie-Baidy, the chief justice, Ali Vawda Chowhary, cabinet ministers, National Assembly members, members of the diplomatic and consular corps, and a cross-section of the Gambian community.

Characterised by the singing of the National Anthem and a 21-gun salute, the event began with a march past by the various security units in the country, school children, militia troops and 'Tai Compa' amongst others.

The Gambian leader arrived at the venue with Her Excellency the First Lady Madam Zineh Yahya Jammeh, accompanied by the AFRC Green Youngs.

In his 30-page address, the president called on all Gambians to rededicate themselves to the goals set for the country's development in which education remains top priority. He also urged Gambians to jealously guard against destructive vice and Islamic behaviour such as drugs, homosexuality, dishonesty, and parasitic dependence on others. "If not you will not only

pitals and major health centres, a flourishing university and numerous primary, junior and secondary schools, a television station, and substantially mechanised and modernised agriculture by providing tractors and other farming implements".

The president also paid tribute to those genuine Gambians for their patriotism and selfless dedication and support to the country since the advent of the Second Republic. "I pay special homage to the women of The Gambia for their hard work, dedication and steadfastness to the ideals of the Revolution. I thank you all patriotic Gambians in all walks of life and all true partners of The Gambia for their contributions to the unprecedented achievements of the Revolution over the past two decades," the president added.

He however underscored that the unparalleled record of the accomplishments should spur Gambians to even greater goals. "We should not rest on our laurels but continue to work harder in order to attain our development targets sooner rather than later because the future belongs not to the infidel or to the stagnant mind, but the faithful optimist, the imaginative and the resourceful. As Allah-loving and worshipping people, we put our destiny in the hands of the Almighty Allah only," he remarked.

In his reflection, the Gambian leader said the past two decades was not easy-pickings for the development of "our motherland". "From a retrogressive nation tethering on the brink of extinction," he said, "we have created a very dynamic modern country soon to become an economic super power. We went through trials and tribulations, we faced treachery and cynics and deadly struggles along the way but we conquered all these obstacles because we entrust our entire valour and destiny to the Almighty Allah. We learnt from our mistakes and the mistakes of others, but the most important lesson I learned is that those who depend on and worship only Allah shall never fail and the other lesson I learned is that a united and Allah-worshipping country is easier to build and develop than divided chaotic non-worshipping country. In short, we learnt better but useful lessons that have turned us into better, independent and dignified people".

Bahdi Mause further enjoined all Gambians to use the lessons learnt during the past 20 years to strengthen their resolve to serve their

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## Man converts to Islam after renowned scholar's Gambia lecture

## Jammeh holds talks with Dr. Zakir Naik

By Musa Ndiass

The Gambian leader, the Executive Sheikh Prof Ali Dr Yahya Jammeh Bahdi Mause on Friday evening opened his address for visiting world renowned scholar and international speaker, Dr. Zakir Naik at his office at Four Points, Bakau.

The Islamic scholar, a dynamic international speaker, said, "I am personally very happy to see the president of the Republic of The Gambia, His Excellency, Dr. Yahya Jammeh Bahdi Mause, at his office at Four Points, Bakau, on Friday. It is considered one of the world's most influential Muslims and among the world's best, prior to his visit, have been leading towards his lecture."

Speaking at the end of his meeting with the Gambian leader, the scholar shared his experience. "I am personally very happy to see the president of the Republic of The Gambia, His Excellency, Dr. Yahya Jammeh Bahdi Mause, at his office at Four Points, Bakau, on Friday. It is considered one of the world's most influential Muslims and among the world's best, prior to his visit, have been leading towards his lecture."

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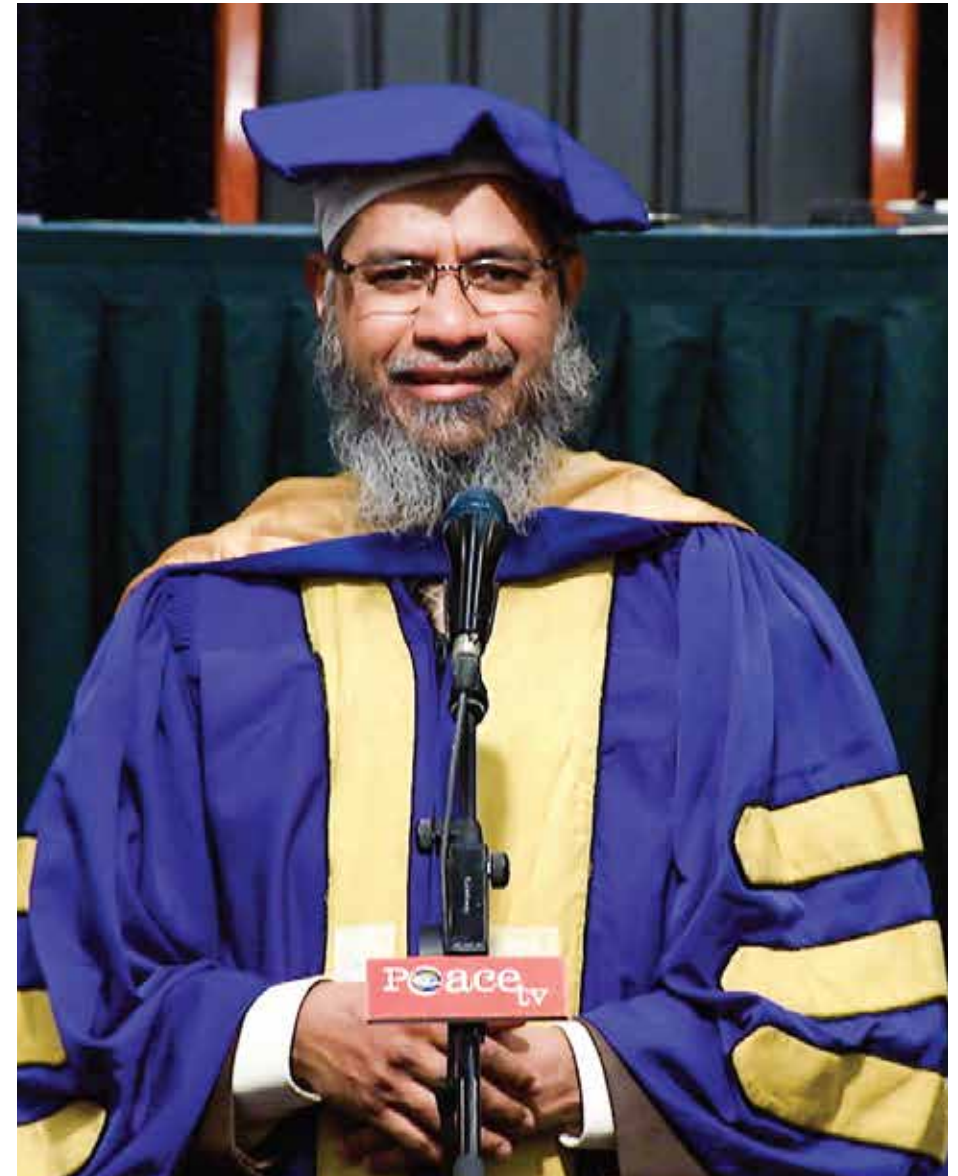




# HONORARY DOCTORATE

## ‘DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS’ (HONORIS CAUSA)

Dr Zakir Naik was conferred with the Honorary Degree ‘Doctor of Humane Letters’ (Honoris Causa), by the Governing Council of the University of The Gambia (UTG), at the hands of the Vice Chancellor of the UTG, Prof. Muhammadou M. O. Kah, in recognition of his outstanding contribution and dissemination of knowledge in promoting research and delivery of community services internationally, on 15<sup>th</sup> October 2014.







# LISTED IN 'THE 100 MOST POWERFUL INDIANS' IN 2009 & 2010

BY THE  
INDIAN EXPRESS  
(RESPECTED NATIONAL DAILY)

Alhamdulillah Dr Zakir Naik was the only  
Muslim Preacher / Scholar / Orator listed  
amongst the "100 Most Powerful Indians"  
in the years 2009 and 2010



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## MOST POWERFUL INDIANS IN 2009

AT The Indian Express, we closely watch those who wield power. So listing the 100 most powerful Indians this year should have been easy. It wasn't. But this year may just be the most consequential in living memory. Not just for the elections barely weeks away that could reshape the contours of political power for the next five years but also for the worst economic slowdown in a generation that could test the very idea of a new India.

Power in this context, therefore, isn't about achievement, visibility or exordium—although these are factors—but about influence. It's about men and women who have the power to influence—or challenge—the way we are. It's about men and women who are respected, some even feared, but all who can influence public or political opinion. Some of them have this power by virtue of their office, others because the effects of their actions or observations touch us all.

Over several weeks, our jury—excluded from this list—debated over the names. In the end, though, the verdict was democratic.

So here it is. The IE 100. Meet those who inhabit these pages. But do be mindful that each will be up for re-evaluation next year. Because that's the way it should be. In a democracy of a billion plus, a list of the 100 most powerful in a year gets a rewrite each day.

Please e-mail your comments and criticisms to [ie100@expressindia.com](mailto:ie100@expressindia.com) or post them on [indianexpress.com](http://indianexpress.com). Let us know who you wanted in — who you wanted out. To disagree over whether someone is powerful or not is, ultimately, the only power we celebrate.

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## TOP 10 SPIRITUAL GURUS



**1 Baba Ramdev**  
Has brought yoga to drawing rooms. Over 20 lakh benefit from his asanas and pranayams.



**2 Sri Sri Ravishankar**  
Unofficial global ambassador of peace and stress-busting guru.



**3 Zakir Naik**  
Delivered 1,200 public talks over 13 years. Has a huge following.



**4 Mata Amritanandamayi**  
Hugging saint, has been embracing 50,000 people a day for 35 years.



**5 Sathya Sai Baba**  
Self-styled godman, his spiritual empire is growing despite controversies surrounding him.



**6 Bhaktiyuji Maharaj**  
Marketing executive-turned-guru is visited by many politicians from Maharashtra.



**7 Jaggi Vasudev**  
Unusual yogi who delivers discourses at the World Economic Forum and plants saplings.



**8 Sister Nirmala**  
Superior-General of the Missionaries of Charity, heads 5,000 sisters in over 136 countries.



**9 Swami Atmashakti Maharaj**  
The president-general of the Ramakrishna Math and Mission and the spiritual head of the Order.



**10 Baba Ram Rahim**  
Controversial head of Dera Sacha Sauda has over 10 million followers, can sway politics.



**82 Dr Zakir Naik, 43**  
Islamic Preacher

### Why

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### Why

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On November 14, 2008, when India's first open university, Open University, was inaugurated, Dr Naik was the chief guest. He delivered a lecture on the importance of open universities.

### What next

A recent mission, Open University, is the initiative with India and countries like the United States and the United Kingdom.

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The idea of a public service is not new in India. It has been around since the time of the British.

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## THE 100 MOST POWERFUL INDIANS IN 2009

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## MOST POWERFUL INDIANS IN 2010

THIS 2010 Indian Express power list has 36 new entrants. That means more than one-third of the entrants in the list of India's 100 most powerful people in 2009 didn't make it this year. Plus, rankings of many who made it to both lists have changed, sometimes radically and there have been both upward and downward shifts. There can be no better proof of the fact that the Indian establishment, once a pretty stable, staid club, now undergoes rapid churning. That this churning happened despite the incumbent Congress winning the 2009 May general elections—the 2009 power list came out before the elections—is even a bigger demonstration that creative, disruptive flux and the Indian establishment are no longer strangers to each other.

As our jury—selected from this list—deliberated over several weeks to pick India's 100 most powerful people, they realised quickly capturing the chair was the most complex and interesting job. Our power lists for subsequent years will be even more complex and interesting exercises—we are close to witnessing generational change in fields like politics, business and sports. The ie100 power lists, read together, will provide an interesting and informative summary of India's recent history—the change in the list of change-makers in a changing country.

As to the inaugural power list issue, our jury's decisions were determined by a potential entrant's ability to command influence in public affairs. Talent or achievement by itself isn't enough.

There are, as in the 2009 edition, our 'mini lists' of top ten most influential persons in different fields. Our new category boasts special mention. We have a list of top ten spoilers—the ten most powerful people in this country when it comes to making good things difficult to achieve. This, too, is an aspect of power and one that we must understand and record.

Of course, you may disagree with our jury's decisions. Please email your comments and/or critiques at [ie100@expressindia.com](mailto:ie100@expressindia.com) or post them on [indiaexpress.com](http://indiaexpress.com). Let us know who you wanted in and who you wanted out. As we said last time, to disagree over whether someone is powerful or not is, ultimately, the only power we celebrate.



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**I Sreedharan, 77**  
**Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh Infrastructure Development Corp.**

**86**

**Why**  
The 'Maha Shakti' is credited with changing the face of public transport in the capital. Of the 13.5 lakh in the north, the Delhi Metro Rail Corporation (DMRC) is one of the few in the world that are making operational profits.

**Power punch**

In the year of the Commonwealth Games, the Delhi Metro will change the city's skyline and revolutionise the way of that transportation. For the first time, the Delhi Metro has taken over the responsibility for a metro in a Metro country since July 2009 and resigned, Chief Minister Sheila Dikshit asked him to step back.

**What next**

By the 2010 Commonwealth Games in the Capital, the Delhi Metro will cover 200 km. He has looked at a possible extension, as it will be interesting to see who replaces him.

**By the way**

Shankar's most of his salary of Rs 30,000 a month. His salary premium helps him going.



**RANKING '09: 84**

**NR Narayana Murthy, 63**  
**Entrepreneur**

**87**

**Why**  
Murthy's gradual lowering of the work-life balance has helped him to get someone to work for him—and that's not just an Indian. He displayed his energy for entrepreneurship by creating a new business capital fund, Catalyst, that will help young Indian entrepreneurs.

**Power punch**

Overlaid Shankar's idea to give up his job in India to lead the United Nations Institute for Sustainable Development in the United States. He has been a force for pushing the Indian IT.

**What next**

Murthy's Catuskarma will be given primarily in India and in the social sector.

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**RANKING '09: 47**

**Vijay Mallya, 54**  
**Industrialist**

**88**

**Why**  
He drops his plans to the power list because some of his former Rajya Sabha MP's business and pleasure activities and owning a 750 cricket and motor racing teams—more doing better than last year. His attempt to bring the government, by getting people to join the government's efforts to attract investments, funded. He is now where he was running United Breweries in the third largest in the world, in change over to others with its business.

**Power punch**

His business's trade union failed to get the go-ahead to present a common argument. And he got back to the country where the government's name of Mallya's belongings.

**What next**

If action picks up, he will have new plans now. He plans to bring Formula One to India.

**By the way**

His yacht, Indian Express was once owned by Qatar's Royal Family.



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**Anand Mahindra, 54**  
**Industrialist**

**90**

**Why**  
The vice-chairman and CEO of top utility vehicle maker Mahindra & Mahindra and its promoter of Ravi Mahindra Bank, makes it to the list this year because for such a long time he has been in the top 100 and acquiring. But, after, he took group company Mahindra Mahindra public last year. Another reason he's stepping up his presence in different markets.

**Power punch**

The success of Ravi Mahindra Bank, the most important corporate development last year, was a milestone. He stepped the troubled bank company and valued it accordingly and getting money in the corporate world.

**What next**

The performance of Mahindra Bank will be closely watched. Mahindra's joint venture with Renault to make a luxury car under attack.

**By the way**

He's been sports enthusiast, especially football, tennis and sailing.



**NEW ON THE LIST**

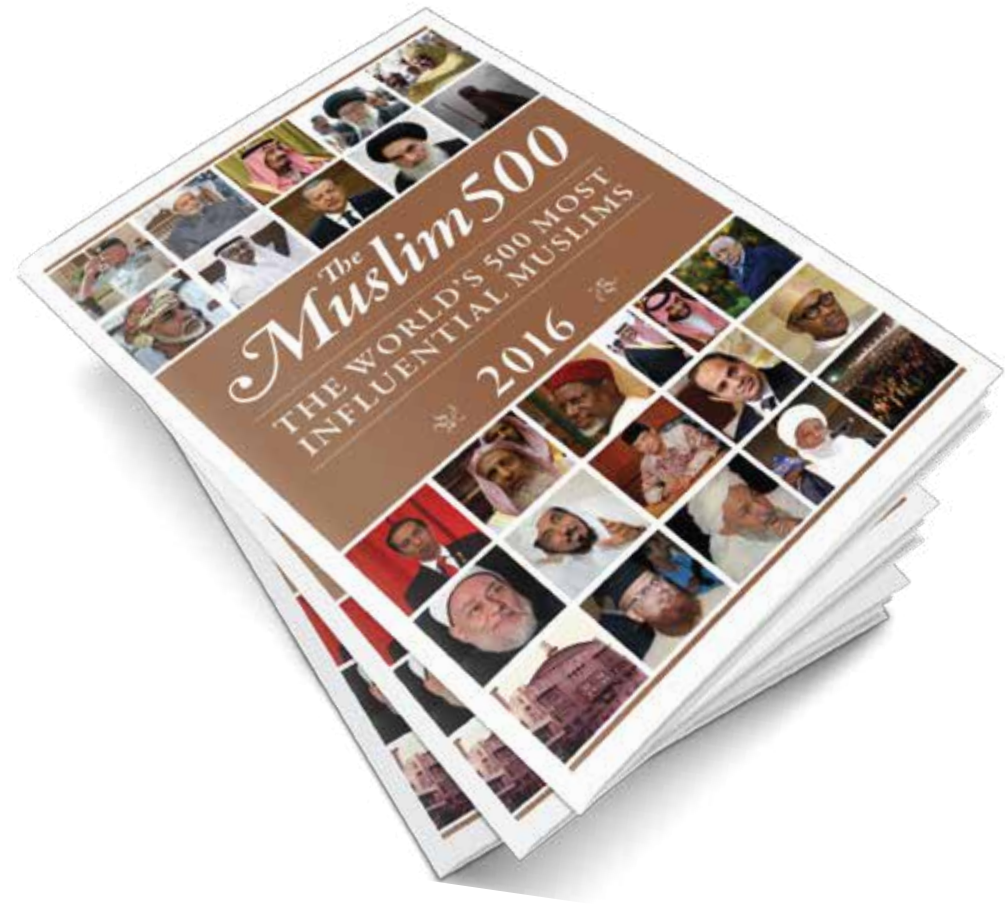
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## THE 100 MOST POWERFUL INDIANS IN 2010

Dr Zakir Naik was ranked No. 89 amongst the 100 Most Powerful Indians in 2010 being the ONLY ISLAMIC PREACHER / SCHOLAR / ORATOR. Amongst the 'Spiritual / Religious Guru' in 2010 he was No. 1.



# LISTED IN THE 500 MOST INFLUENTIAL MUSLIMS



Alhamdulillah Dr Zakir Naik has been listed in the top 62 list of the 500 Most Influential Muslims of the World in the year 2011 and in the top 70 list of the 500 Most influential Muslims of the World in the years 2012, 2013/14, 2014/15 and 2016 respectively.





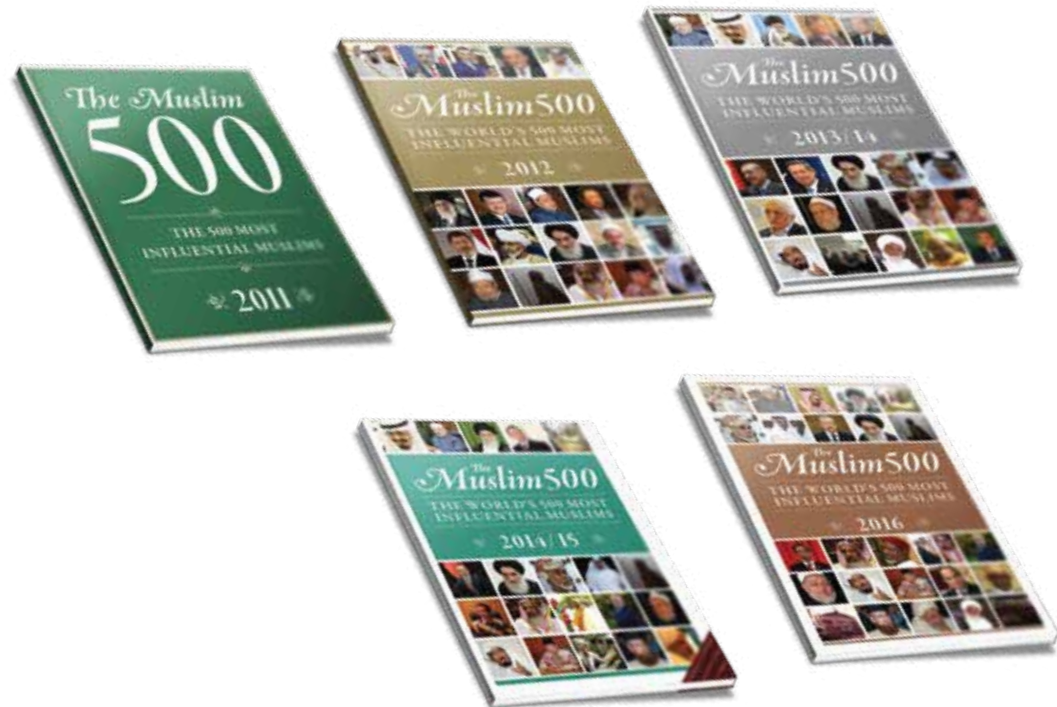
Dr Zakir Abdul  
Karim Naik  
Preacher

Country: India  
Born: 18 October 1965 (age 49)

Zakir Abdul-Karim Naik is a well renowned public intellectual who has made it his mission to teach the world about Islam. He hosts huge public events where he speaks on the subject, highlighting misconceptions and promoting understanding about the faith. Naik also challenges leaders in other faiths to public debates that are broadcast around the world on Peace TV—a satellite channel that he helped to found. He is also the founder of the Islamic Research Foundation, which runs United Islamic Aid. He was listed as one of the most powerful Indians in 2010.

## LISTED IN THE TOP 70 IN THE 500 MOST INFLUENTIAL MUSLIMS

2011, 2012, 2013/14, 2014/15 and 2016



# LISTED IN THE WORLD'S MOST ADMIRED PEOPLE 2014

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Alhamdulillah Dr Zakir Naik is mentioned  
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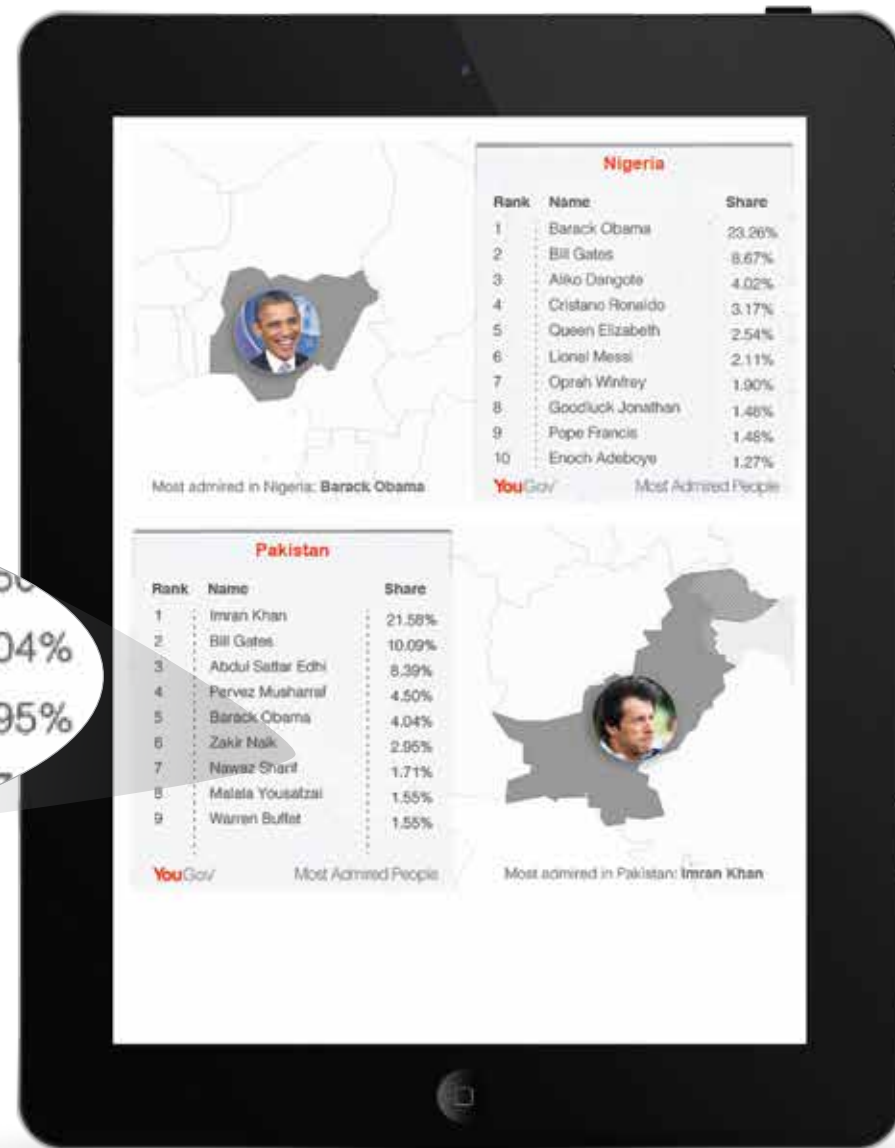


## WORLD'S MOST ADMIRABLE PEOPLE 2014

Alhamdulillah Dr Zakir Naik is mentioned in a survey for the Times of people from thirteen countries around the world done by YouGov.

Dr Zakir Naik is listed 6th in the most admired people in Pakistan.

	Pervez Musharraf	4.50%
5	Barack Obama	4.04%
6	Zakir Naik	2.95%
	Nawaz Sharif	1.71%





# INTERACTIONS WITH HEADS OF STATES

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King Salman bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud  
of Saudi Arabia



► Dr Zakir Naik being felicitated by the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques, King Salman bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud of Saudi Arabia







► Dr Zakir Naik with King Salman bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud of Saudi Arabia



Dr Zakir Naik having dinner with the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques, King Salman bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud of Saudi Arabia ◀



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▶ Dr Zakir Naik being welcomed by Shaikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President & Prime Minister of UAE & Ruler of Dubai, at his palace in Dubai in 2014



Shaikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President & Prime Minister of UAE & Ruler of Dubai, in conversation with Dr Zakir Naik



Alhamdulillah, many Rulers and Heads of States in the Middle East and South East Asia have appreciated Dr Zakir Naik's efforts in the field of Islamic Da'wah and have conferred him with prestigious International Awards.



Dr Zakir Naik in focus with Shaikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Ruler of Dubai



Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Sultan bin Mohammed Al-Qasimi, Ruler of Sharjah, UAE



► Shaikh Humaid bin Rashid Al Nuaimi, Ruler of Ajman, UAE, sharing views with Dr Zakir Naik



► Dr Zakir Naik being greeted by Tuanku Abdul Halim Mu'adzam Shah, King of Malaysia

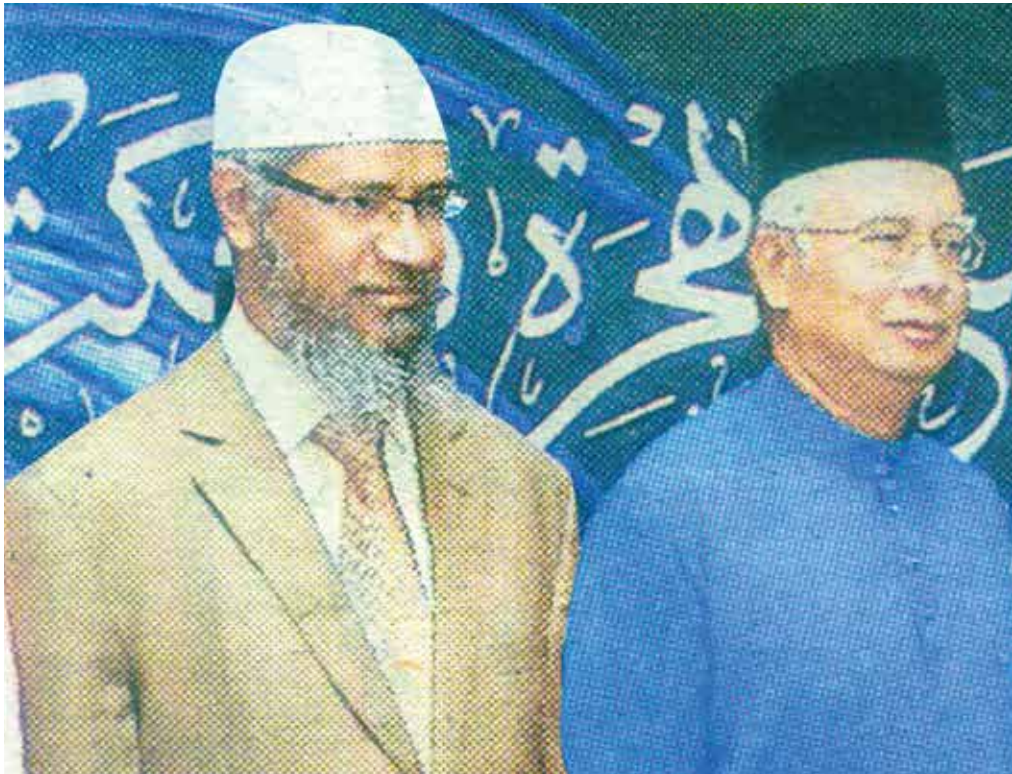


Dr Mahathir bin Mohamad, Former Prime Minister of Malaysia with Dr Zakir Naik



▼ Dr Mahathir bin Mohamad, Former Prime Minister of Malaysia, in discussion with Dr Zakir Naik





Dr Zakir Naik With Datuk  
Seri Mohd. Najib Razak,  
Prime Minister of Malaysia



Dr Zakir Naik with Sultan Muhammadu Sa'ad Abubakar IV,  
Sultan of Sokoto, Nigeria



Dr Zakir Naik with Abdul Rahman Siwar Al Dahab,  
Former President of Sudan





► Dr Zakir Naik with Dr Yahya Jammeh,  
President of The Gambia



► Dr Zakir Naik with Mohamed Ould Abdel Aziz, President of Mauritania



► Dr Zakir Naik with  
Macky Sall, President  
of Senegal



► Dr Zakir Naik with José Mário Vaz, President of Guinea-Bissau

# ASSOCIATION WITH INTERNATIONAL ISLAMIC LUMINARIES

Shaikh Saud Ash Shuraim, Imaam of Masjid Al Haram, Makkah, greeting Dr Zakir Naik and appreciating his great contribution for promoting Islamic understanding and appreciation worldwide







▼  
Shaikh Salaah Al Budair,  
Imaam of Masjid Al  
Nabawi, Madinah in  
conversation with Dr Zakir  
Naik

► Shaikh Ali Al  
Abbasi, Imaam  
of Masjid Al Aqsa,  
Jerusalem, along  
with Dr Zakir Naik



► Dr Zakir Naik along with Shaikh Salaah Al  
Budair, Imaam of Masjid Al Nabawi, Madinah,  
and Shaikh Ali Al Abbasi, Imaam of Masjid Al  
Aqsa, Jerusalem, at the closing ceremony of  
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Shaikh Abdur Rahmaan As Sudais, Imaam of Masjid Al Haram, Makkah, appreciating Dr Zakir Naik's endeavours for proper Islamic promotion the world over

## ASSOCIATION WITH IMAAMS OF MASJID AL HARMAIN SHAREEFAIN (THE TWO HOLY MOSQUES)

Alhamdulillah, Dr Zakir Naik has had the honour to meet and interact with several Imaams of Masjid Al Harmain Shareefain namely – Al Masjid Al Haram in Makkah and Al Masjid Al Nabawi in Madinah. These renowned Imaams have recognized and appreciated his works in the field of Da'wah and removing misconceptions about Islam worldwide.

Shaikh Ali Abdur Rahmaan Al-Hudhayfi, the Chief Imaam and Khateeb of Masjid Al-Nabawi, Madinah, along with Dr Zakir Naik



Shaikh Saleh bin Abdullah bin Homaid, Imaam of Masjid Al Haram Makkah with Dr Zakir Naik in Marrakesh, Morocco



Shaikh Abdur Rahmaan As Sudais, Imaam of Masjid Al Haram, Makkah, in candid conversation with Dr Zakir Naik at his residence in Makkah

► Shaikh Muhammad Ayub, Former Imaam of Masjid Al Nabawi, Madinah, alongwith Dr Zakir Naik



► Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Salaah Al Budair, Imaam of Masjid Al Nabawi, Madinah in the highest Prayer Area in the world in Burj Khalifa, Dubai



► Shaikh Adel Al Kalbani, Former Imaam of Masjid al Haram, Makkah, along with Dr Zakir Naik

► Shaikh Saleh Bin Homaid, Imaam of Masjid Al Haram, Makkah felicitating Dr Zakir Naik in Riyadh on receiving King Faisal International Prize - 2015 for Service to Islam



► Dr Zakir Naik receiving an award from Shaikh Saud Ash Shuraim, Imaam of Masjid Al Haram, Makkah



► Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Faisal Al Gazzawi, Imam of Al Masjid Al Haram, Makkah





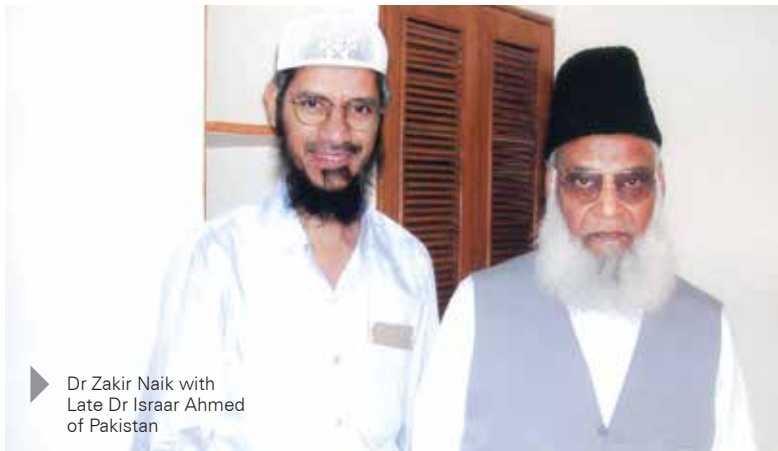
► Late Shaikh Ahmed Deedat of South Africa with Dr Zakir Naik at his office in Durban, South Africa.

## ASSOCIATION WITH INTERNATIONAL DA'EES

"Birds of a feather flock together" is a saying which aptly fits when it comes to Dr Zakir Naik's association with International Da'ees of Islam, who are concerned and striving their utmost to fulfill the obligation of conveying the message of Islam to one and all, worldwide.



► Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Aaidh Al Qarni, the second most popular Islamic Arabic speaker in the world



► Dr Zakir Naik with Late Dr Israar Ahmed of Pakistan



► Shaikh Salman Al Ouda, the third most popular Islamic Arabic speaker in the world in conversation with Dr Zakir Naik



► Dr Zakir Naik sharing views with Shaikh Mohammed Al Arefe, the most popular Islamic Arabic speaker in the world



► Dr Zakir Naik with Maulana Tariq Jameel of Pakistan



Late Shaikh Abdul Aziz bin Abdullah bin Baaz, the Former Grand Mufti of Saudi Arabia, in discussion with Dr Zakir Naik



## ASSOCIATION WITH ISLAMIC SCHOLARS

"The Scholars are the inheritors of the Prophet." The Prophets of Allah (swt) do not leave behind gold or silver as their inheritance but they leave behind the knowledge of the Deen. Alhamdulillah, Dr Zakir Naik has been keen in amassing the precious gems of advice from the top-notch scholars of Islam all across the globe especially from Saudi Arabia – the cradle of Islam.

Dr Zakir Naik with Late Shaikh Abdullah Ibn Jibreel - one of the leading Islamic Scholar from Saudi Arabia



Abdul Azeez bin Abdullah Aal Al Shaikh - Grand Mufti of Saudi Arabia

Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Saad bin Nasr Ash-Shethry, Religious Advisor to King Salman bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud of Saudi Arabia



Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Saad Al Braik, well known Saudi Scholar and Preacher



Dr Zakir Naik in a meeting with Shaikh Abdul Aziz Al Turaifi, one of the leading Islamic scholars from Saudi Arabia

Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Muhammad Saalih Al-Munajjid, one of the leading Islamic Scholars of Syria and Founder and General Supervisor of the Encyclopedic Fatwa website, [www.islamqa.info](http://www.islamqa.info)



Dr Zakir Naik with Dr Issam Al Bashir, the famous Islamic Scholar from Sudan







▶ Dr Zakir Naik with Prof. Mohammad Zia ur Rahman Azmi, Former Dean of Hadith, Islamic University of Madinah, who has compiled all the Sahih Hadith of Prophet Muhammad (pbuh) in his book, 'Al Jami' Al Kaamil Fi Al Hadith Al Sahih Al Shaamil.'

▶ Dr Zakir Naik with Dr Abdullah Al Mosleh, Chairman – International Commission on Scientific Signs in Qur'an & Sunnah, Makkah



▶ Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Muhammad Al Hasan Ad Deddoo of Mauritania



▶ Dr Zakir Naik with Late Maulana Abul Hasan Ali Hasani Nadwi of India



▶ Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Nasser Al Omar of Saudi Arabia



## ASSOCIATION WITH OTHER INTERNATIONAL ISLAMIC STALWARTS

Da'wah in today's time demands co-operation from organizations which are directly or indirectly serving the Deen of Allah. Keeping this in mind Dr Zakir Naik has always maintained close ties with the heads of internationally renowned Muslim organizations.

► Dr Abdullah Omar Naseef, Former Secretary General – Muslim World League and Vice President of the Majlis Al Shoura of Saudi Arabia



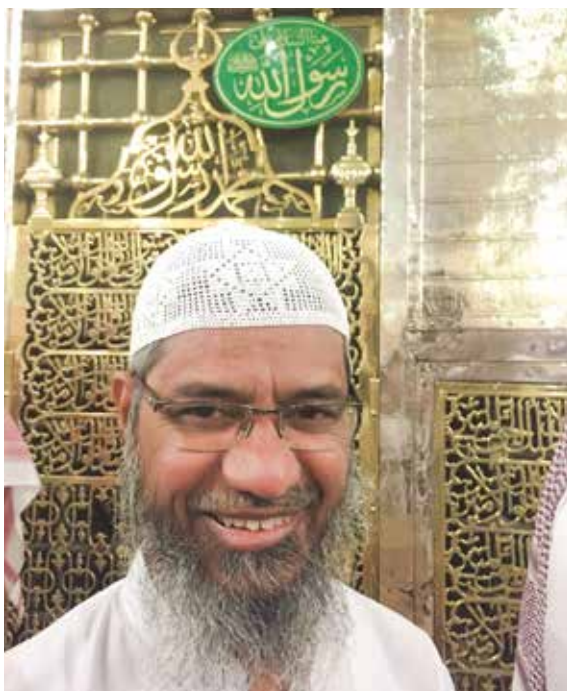
► Dr Prof Abdullah Bin Abdul Mohsin Turkey, Secretary General – Muslim World League

Dr Zakir Naik with Shaikh Mishary Rashid Alafasy of Kuwait



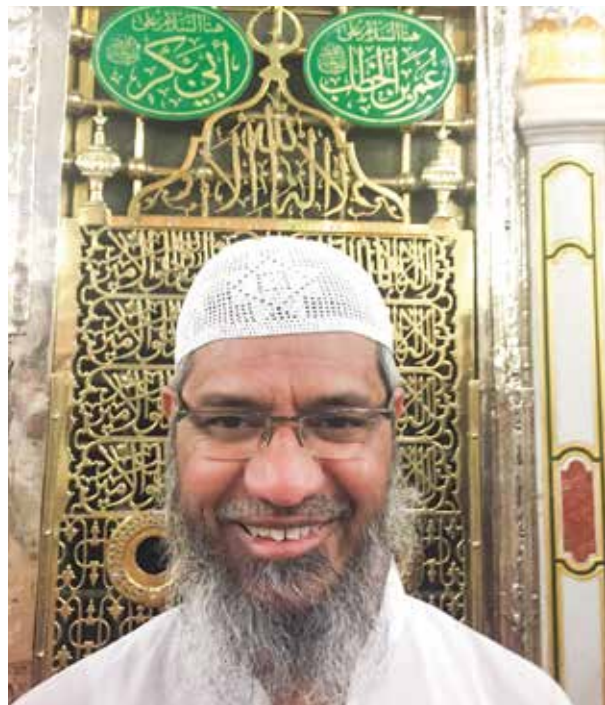
► Dr Zakir Naik with Saleh Al Wohaibi, Secretary General – World Assembly of Muslim Youth (WAMY), Saudi Arabia





► Dr Zakir Naik in front of the Grave of Prophet Muhammad (pbuh) in Al Masjid An-Nabawi, Madinah

► Dr Zakir Naik in front of the Graves of Abu Bakr As Siddique (ra) and Umar bin Al Khattab (ra) in Al Masjid An Nabawi, Madinah



► Dr Zakir Naik making Dua' at the Multazim (the part of Ka'bah between its Door and the Black Stone)



► Dr Zakir Naik at the Rawdhatul Jannah (the area between the Prophet's (pbuh) Grave and his Pulpit), in Al Masjid An Nabawi, Madinah



► Dr Zakir Naik Kissing the Hajr-e-Aswad

# APPRECIATION WORLDWIDE

## CONFERRED UPON DR ZAKIR NAIK FOR HIS DA'WAH EFFORTS

Late Shaikh Ahmed Deedat,  
the pioneer of Islamic Da'wah in English in the  
20th Century and the mentor of Dr Zakir Naik  
presented a plaque in appreciation of his  
Da'wah activities worldwide







## APPRECIATION WORLDWIDE

Alhamdulillah many esteemed Islamic Scholars, Luminaries and Da'wah Organizations worldwide have praised and appreciated Dr Zakir Naik's efforts in serving Islam and in spreading the word of Allah through his many lectures and debates on various religious and related topics.

Many Awards, Citations and Momentos, to acclaim his endeavours for Islam, Mashallah, have been presented to Dr Zakir Naik by organizations worldwide.









INTERNATIONAL ISLAMIC  
PEACE CONFERENCE 2007

Somaiya Grounds, Mumbai – in English

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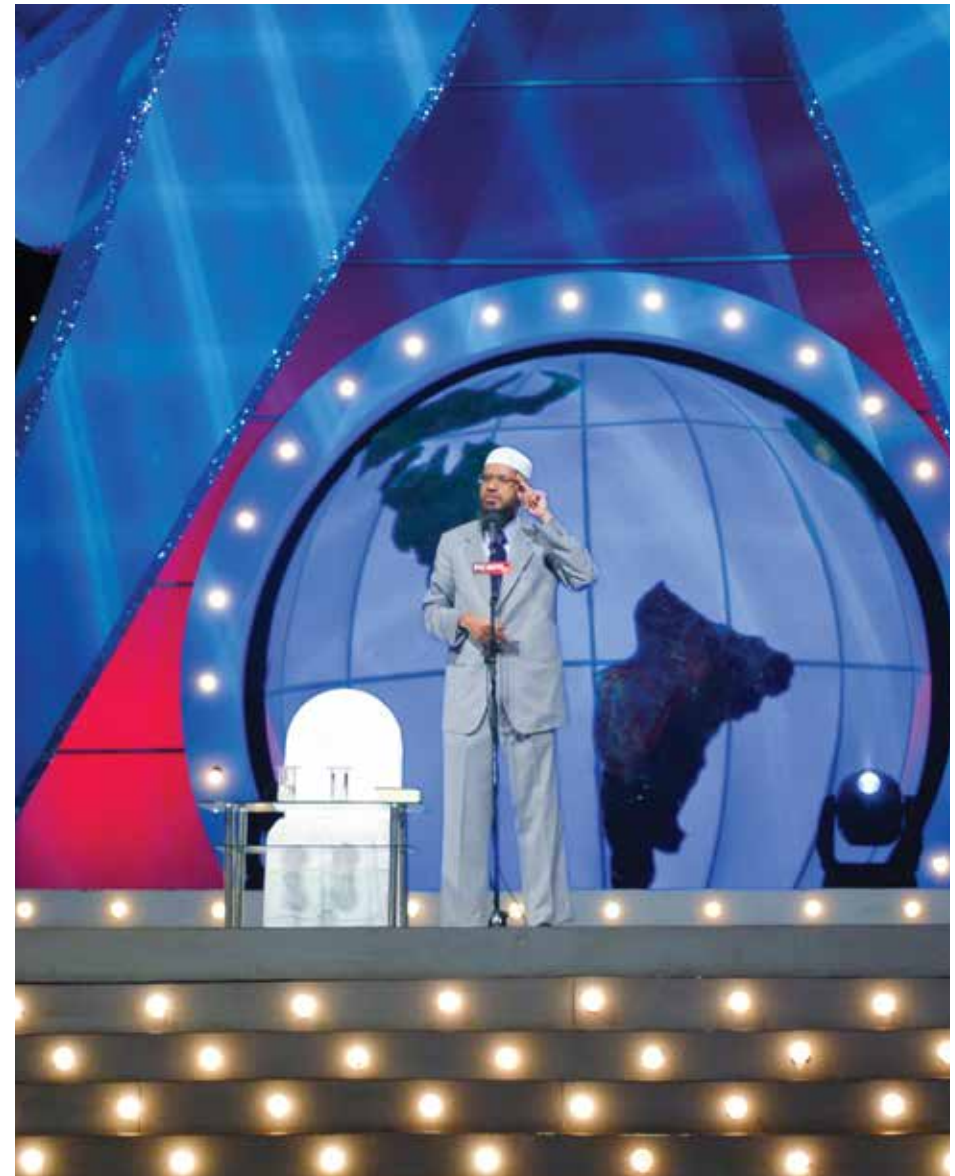


# INTERNATIONAL ISLAMIC PEACE CONFERENCES



# PEACE CONFERENCE 2007

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## International Islamic Peace Conference 2007

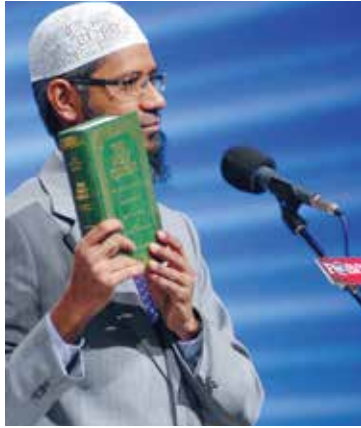
In the year 2007, Mumbai played host to the 'first ever' 10-day Islamic International Peace Conference with the theme 'Peace - The Solution for Humanity'. It was attended by over 20 renowned Islamic scholars and academia from all over the world, including USA, Canada, UK, Saudi Arabia, UAE, Egypt, Sudan and Malaysia, among others. The International Peace Conference was held at the Somaiya Grounds in Mumbai. It was a 10-day affair inaugurated on Friday, 23rd Nov., and concluded on Sunday, 2nd Dec., 2007.













## Renowned International Speakers in English at the International Islamic Peace Conference 2007



Abdul Raheem Green - UK



Salem Al Amry - UAE



Assim Al Hakeem - Saudi Arabia



Yusuf Estes - USA



Yassir Fazaga - USA



Fariq Naik - India



Hussain Yee - Malaysia



Yasir Qadhi - USA



Dr Bilal Philips - Canada



Dr Jaafar Idris - Sudan



Riaz Ansary - USA



Dr Mamdouh Mohamed - Egypt



Dr Ahmed Ibn Saifuddin - KSA



Dr Hussein H Hassan - Egypt



Mokhtar Maghraoui - USA



Musa Cerantonio - Australia



Omar Dexter - UK



Zain Bhikha -  
Nasheed Vocalist, South Africa



Ahmed Bukhatir -  
Nasheed Vocalist, UAE



Dr Zakir Naik - India

# PEACE CONFERENCE 2008

Shaikh Ahmed bin Ali bin Abdur Rahman Hudaify, Imaam of Masjid Al Quba, Madinah and Shaikh Adel Al Kalbani, Imaam of Masjid Al Haram, Makkah delivering the Jumu'ah Khutbah during the 1st and 2nd Jumu'ah gatherings at the Conference.









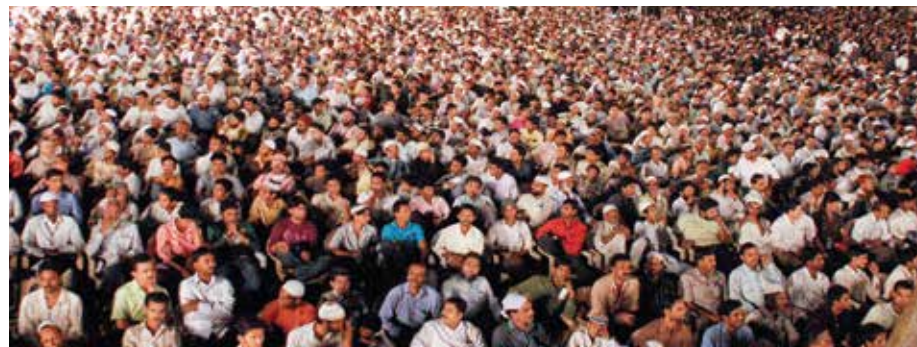
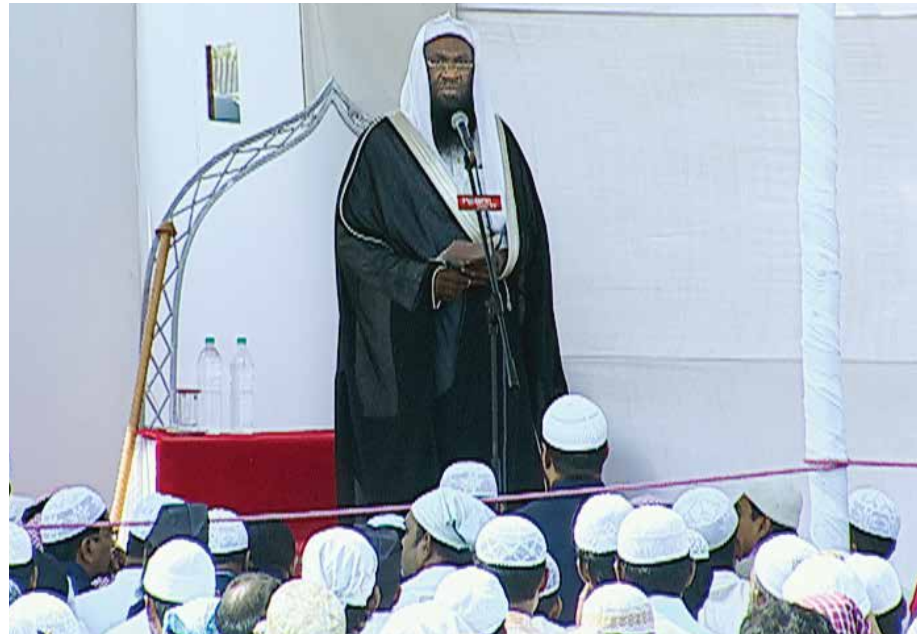
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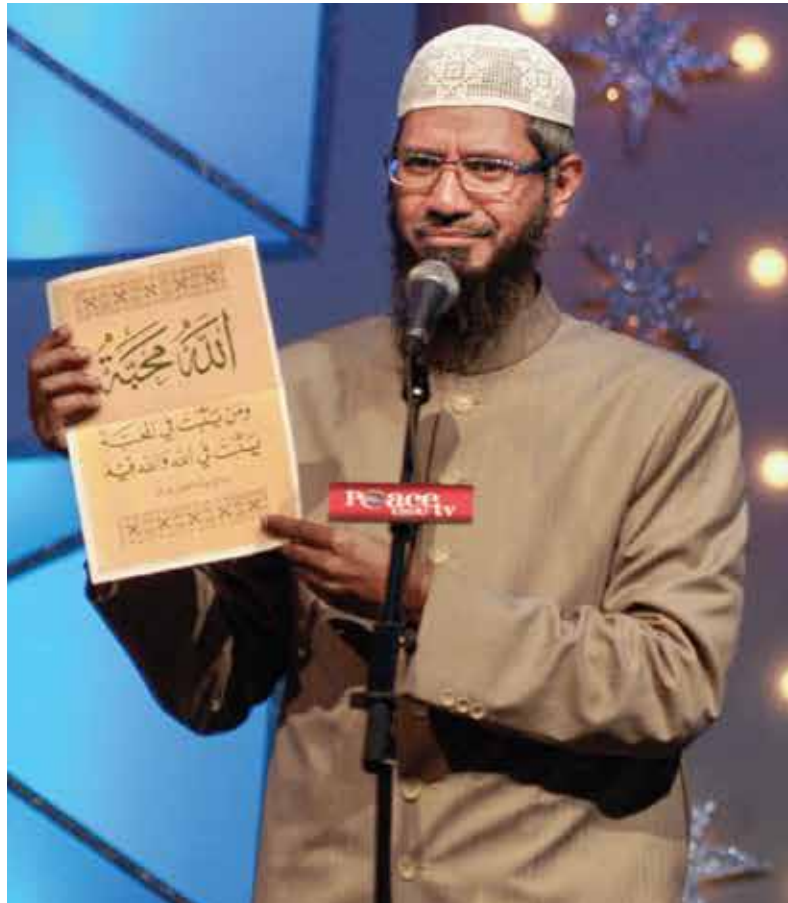
The conference aimed at promoting the proper understanding of Islam and removing the misconceptions about Islam.











## Renowned International Speakers in Urdu at the International Islamic Peace Conference 2008



Shaikh Sanaullah Madani



Maulana Ejaz Aslam



Shaikh Faizur Rahman Nadwi



Shaikh Ashfaque Salafi



Maulana Fuzailur Rahman Qasmi



Mubarak Kapdi



Shaikh Zafarul Hasan Madani



Shaikh Razaullah Abdul Kareem



Dr Wasiullah Abbas



Maulana Abu Zafar Hassan Nadwi



Shaikh Muqem Faizi



Shaikh Abdul Basit Madani



Maulana Jalaluddin Umri



Maulana Abdul Aas Waheedi

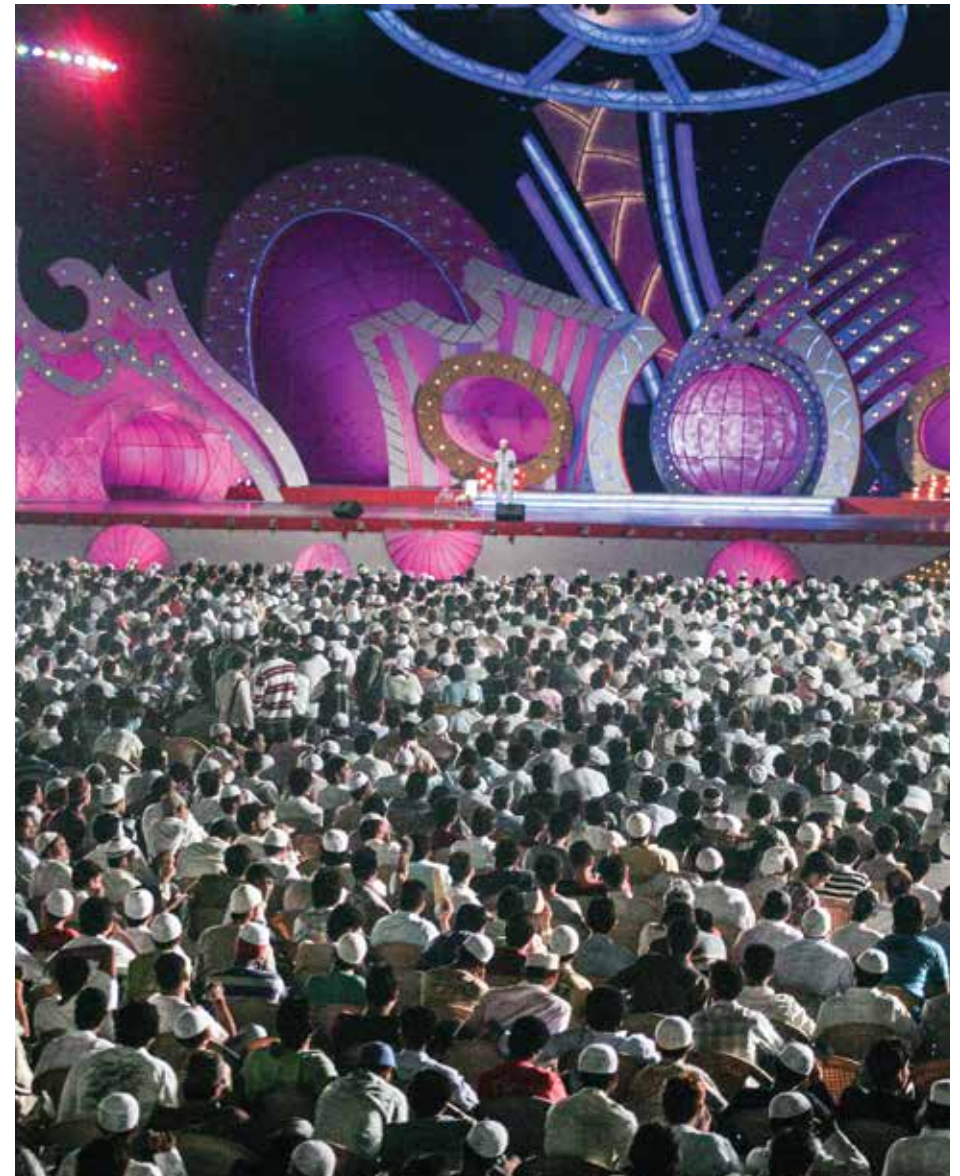


Maulana Ahmed Siraj Qasmi



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## International Islamic Peace Conference 2009

Alhamdulillah, this was the largest “Islamic Da’wah Conference” in English organised in the history of the Islamic World in terms of grandeur, excellence, leading speakers and audience participation.

Alhamdulillah, Peace Conference 2009, was also the grandest staged, telecast, and recorded event ever undertaken in the Muslim World or by Muslims anywhere.

It was attended by over 30 renowned Islamic Scholars and Da’ees from all over the world including USA, Canada, UK, Saudi Arabia, UAE, Egypt, Sudan, Somalia, South Africa, Malaysia, Australia among others.

The focus of the Conference was to create a better awareness and understanding of Islam and its message of peace for the entire humanity.













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Areeb Islam - South Africa



Saeed Rageah - Somalia



Dr Lawrence Brown - USA



Dr Jaafar Idris - Sudan



Haitham Al Haddaad - UK



Dr Zaghloul Al Najjar - Egypt



Dr Mamdouh Mohamed - Egypt



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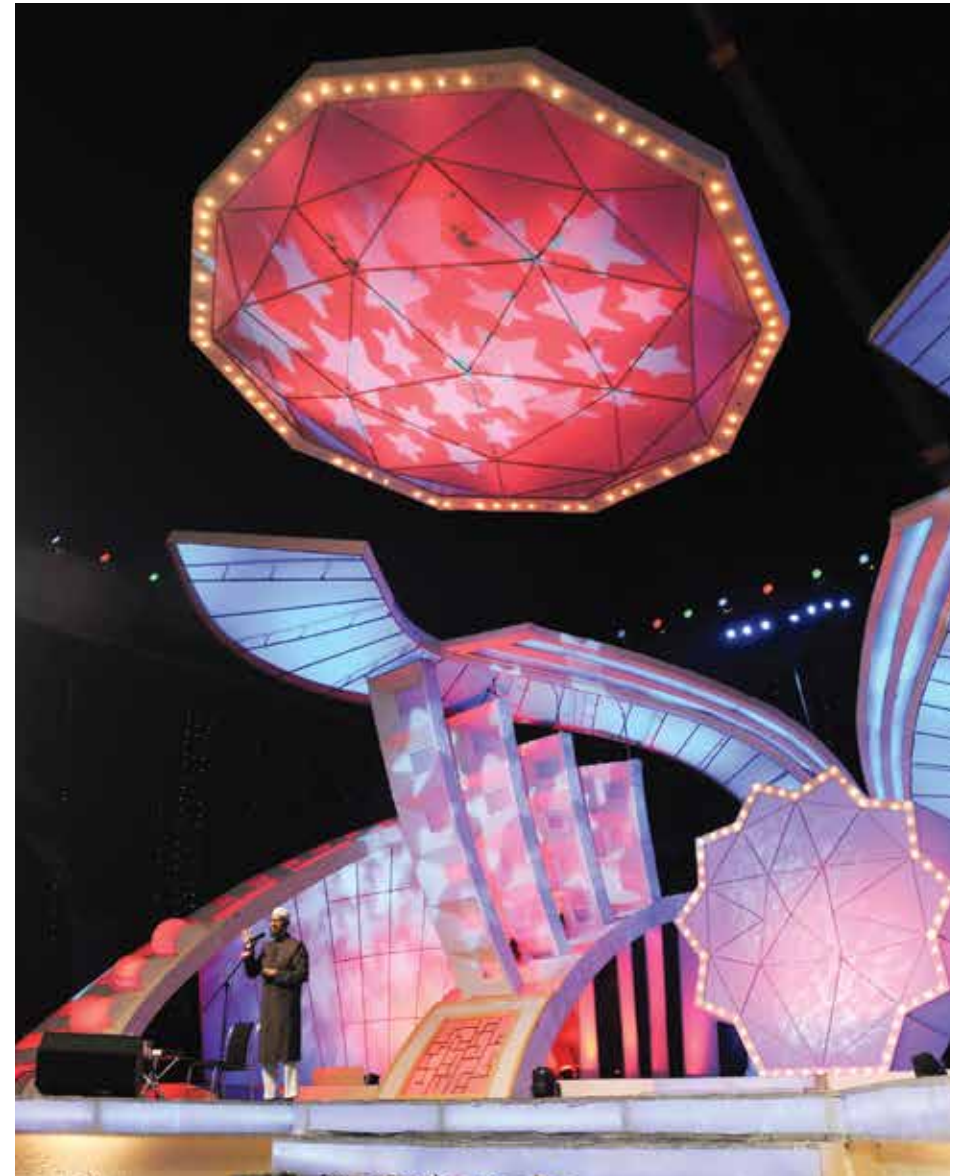
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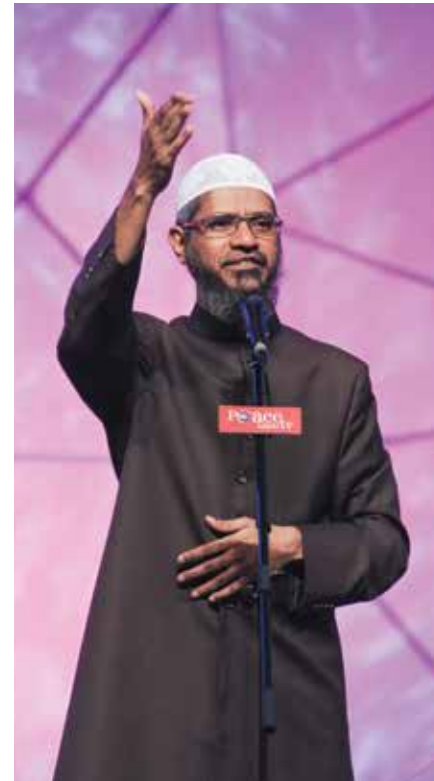




## International Islamic Peace Conference 2010

Alhamdulillah, once again the world witnessed yet another "Islamic Da'wah Conference" that was exemplary in terms of grandeur, excellence, leading speakers and audience participation.

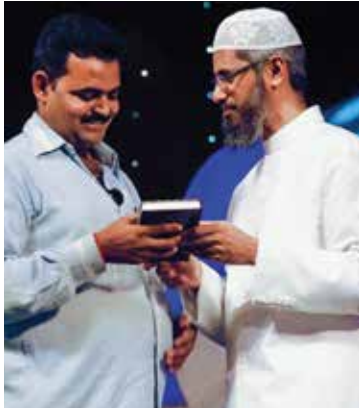
The focus of the Conference was to revive the knowledge and correct understanding of Islam and its message of peace for the entire humanity.













## Renowned International Speakers in Urdu at the International Islamic Peace Conference 2010



Shaikh Abdul Hadi Umri



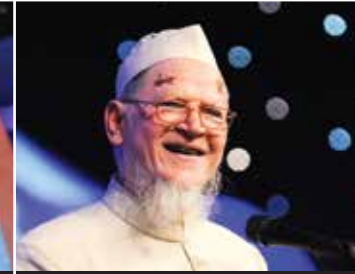
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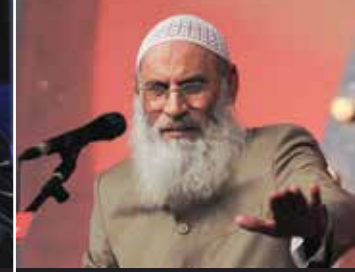
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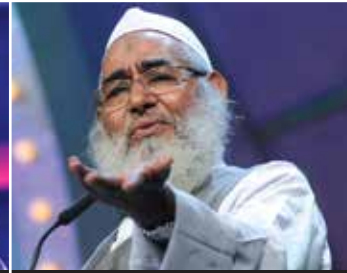
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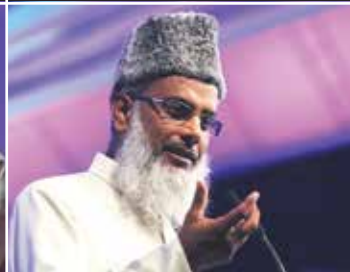
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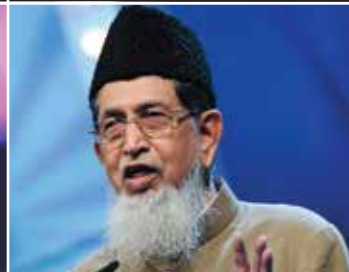
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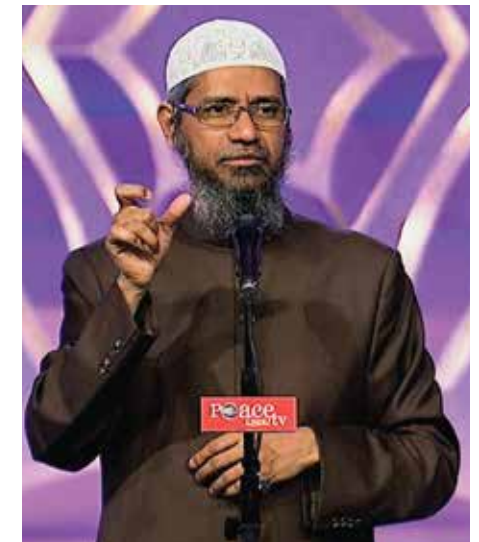
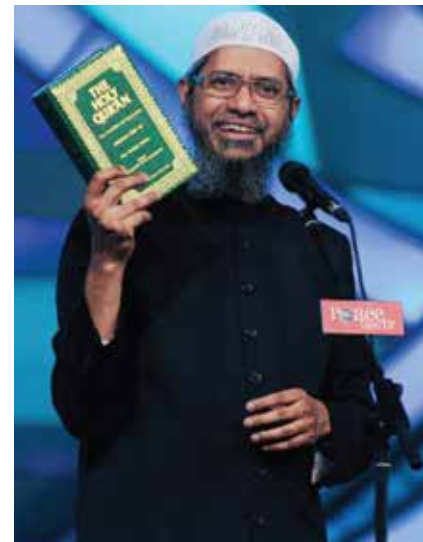




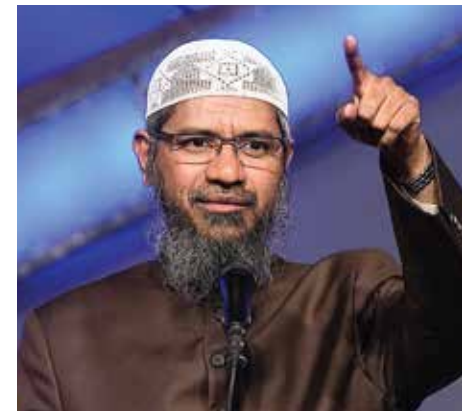
## International Islamic Peace Conference 2011

'Peace - The Solution for Humanity' themed 10-day International Islamic Conference in Urdu was held at the Somaiya Grounds, Mumbai, where world renowned Islamic Orators delivered lectures in Urdu to spread the Message of Islam, i.e. Peace.

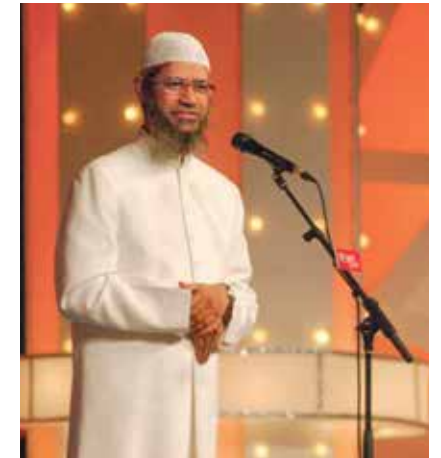
One of the highlights of this Conference was the Jumu'ah Salaah in which Shaikh Saud Ash Shuraim, Imaam of Masjid Al Haram, Makkah led the overflowing crowd of Muslims gathered on the largest ground of Mumbai for Jumah prayers.













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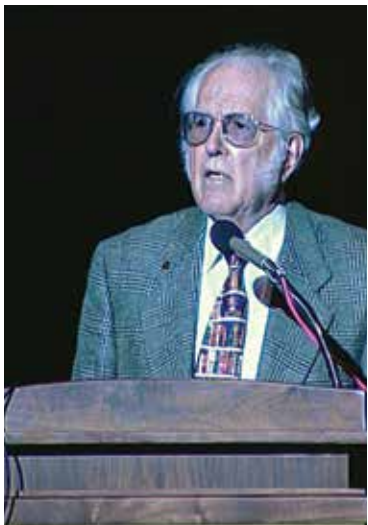
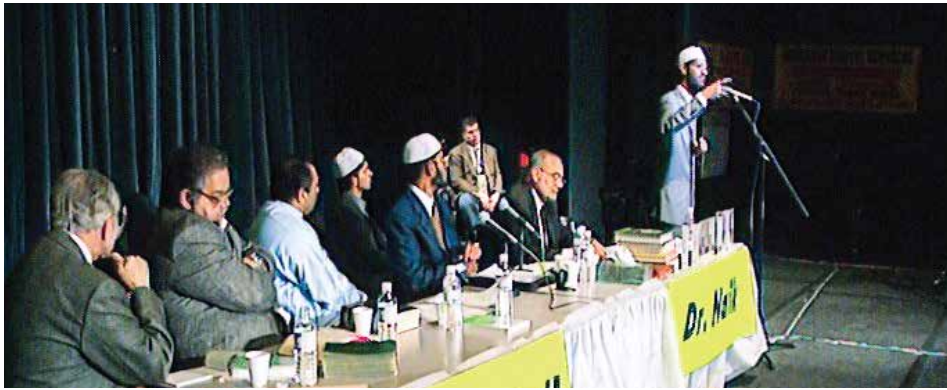
# DEBATES AND SYMPOSIA

Alhamdulillah since the inception of Islamic Reaserch Foundation, in the year 1991, Dr Zakir Naik has delivered numerous talks, followed by Question and Answer Sessions, and participated in many Interfaith Dialogues and Debates with prominent religious personalities of other faiths on topics like:-

- **The Qur'an and the Bible in the Light of Science**
- **The Concept of God in Hinduism and Islam in the Light of Sacred Scriptures**
- **Is Non-Vegetarian Food Permitted or Prohibited for a Human Being?**
- **Was Christ (pbuh) Really Crucified?**
- **Press Debate: Is Religious Fundamentalism a Stumbling Block to the Freedom of Expression?**
- **Symposium: Religion in the Right Perspective  
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- **Symposium: Family Values in Islam**
- **Oxford Union Debate: Islam and the 21st Century**



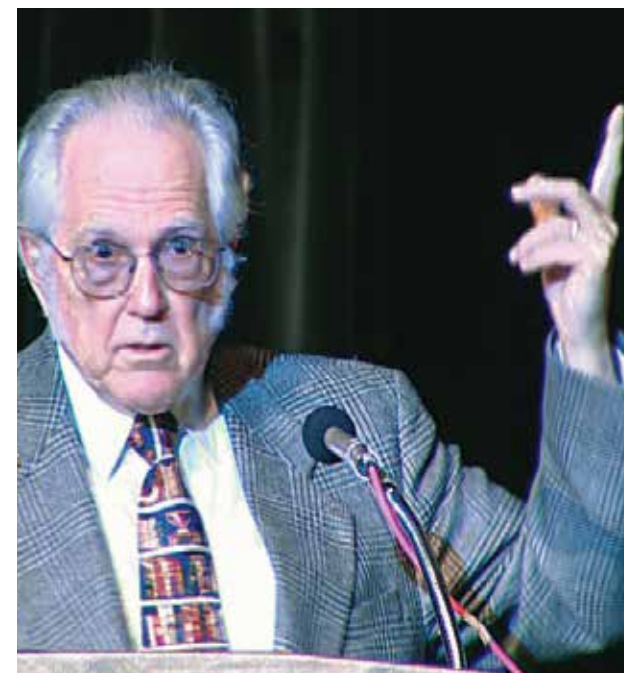
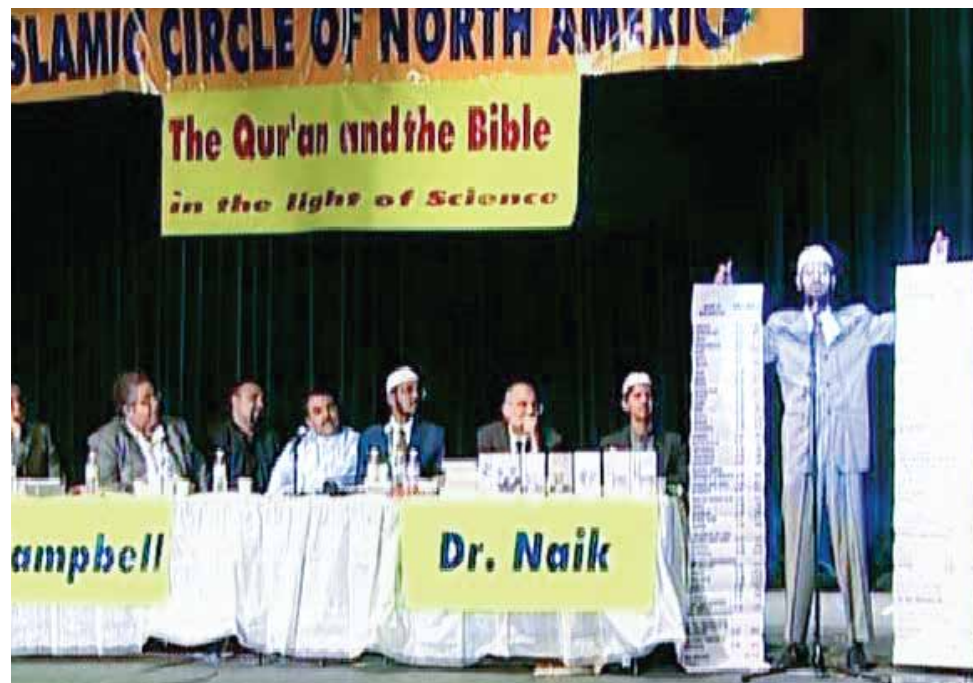
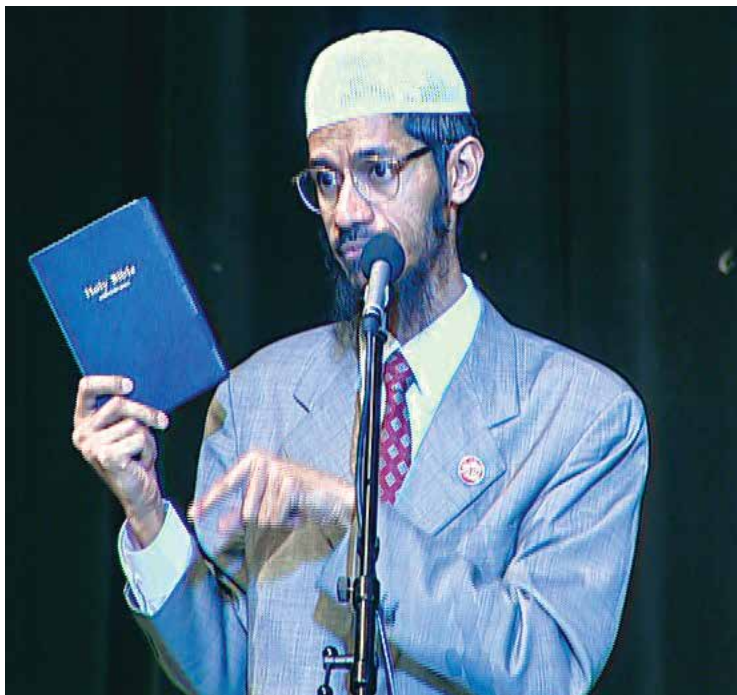




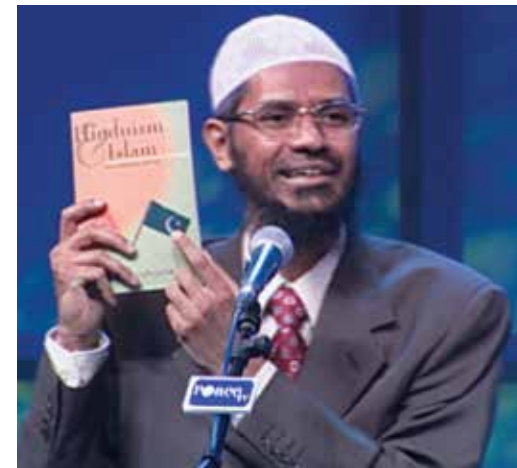


## The Qur'an and the Bible in the Light of Science

Dr Zakir Naik's public dialogue with Dr William Campbell (of USA) on the topic. "The Qur'an and the Bible in the Light of Science" held in Chicago, USA, on 1st April, 2000 was a resounding success from the Qur'anic viewpoint.









## The Concept of God in Hinduism and Islam in the Light of Sacred Scriptures

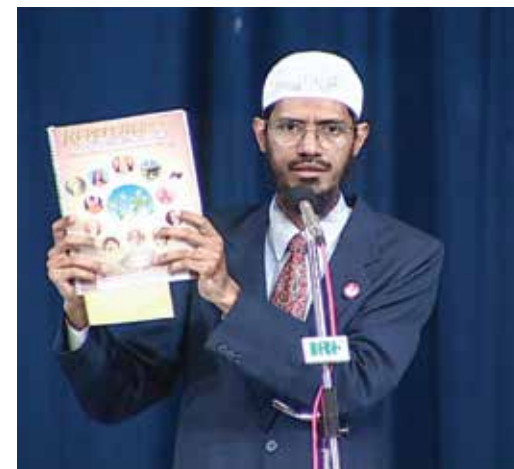
Dr Zakir Naik's Interfaith Dialogue with prominent Hindu Guru Sri Sri Ravi Shankar on the topic, "The Concept of God in Hinduism and Islam in the Light of Sacred Scriptures" held at Palace Grounds, Bangalore, on 21st January 2006, was highly appreciated by people of both the faiths.

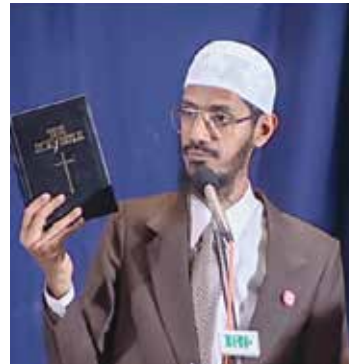




## Is Non-Vegetarian Food Permitted or Prohibited for a Human Being?

In the latter times, Indian society due to a strong influence of incumbent Religions like Jainism and Buddhism adopted 'Strict Vegetarianism' which is contrary to the Vedic-Culture of India wherein Non-Veg. food was a delicacy surprisingly even Beef. This debate was held in a friendly spirit between Rashmi Bhai Zaveri (President of Indian Vegetarian Congress) and Dr Zakir Naik, who in his presentation went on to unveil the myths surrounding the consumption of Non-Veg. food for a human being from Religious, Scientific and Logical points of view.





### Was Christ (pbuh) Really Crucified?

For a Muslim the Qur'anic testimony is sufficient proof to believe that Jesus Chrstit (pbuh) was neither Killed nor Crucified. Pastor Ruknuddin Pio, a Coptic Christian, was overzealous to have a debate with Dr Zakir Naik on this crucial topic. After watching this Debate our Christian brethren (if unbiased) would undoubtedly agree to the fact that there is clear evidence in the Bible that Jesus Christ (pbuh) was Not Crucified.



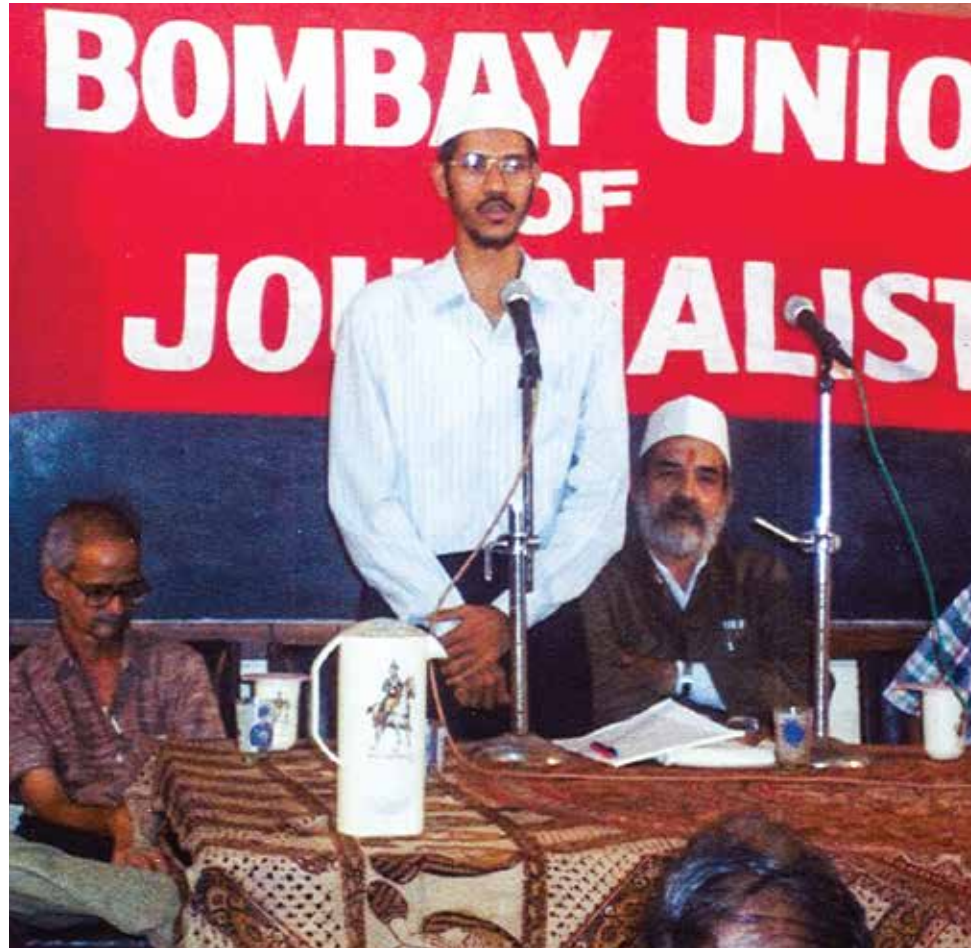


► Press Debate: Is Religious Fundamentalism a  
Stumbling block to the Freedom of Expression?

The first Public Debate of Dr Zakir Naik which was held in Mumbai (then Bombay) organized by the 'Bombay Union of Journalists' at a time when Islamic Shariah was the target in the Media for its ruling on blasphemy. Dr Zakir Naik was joined by Father M Pereira, Dr Vasudev Vyas and Mr Ashok Sahane for this debate.

Alhamdulillah, a lucid and explicit presentation was made by Dr Zakir Naik in defence of Islam and its Shariah laws; proving that the Shariah laws are perfect and not barbaric as portrayed by the Media.

The debate was Alhamdulillah so successful that even though it was organised by the Bombay Union of Journalists and most of the media was present not a single reported it!







### Symposium : Religion in the Right Perspective "Concept of God in Hinduism, Christianity and Islam"

Three learned men, Swamy Golkananda, Father Geo Payyapilly and Dr Zakir Naik representing Hindu, Christian and Islamic Faiths respectively, gathered on one stage for the Right understanding of 'Religion.' In his presentation Dr Zakir Naik invincibly proved that the only right way to understand 'Religion' is by understanding its Sacred Scriptures and not by looking at its adherents.

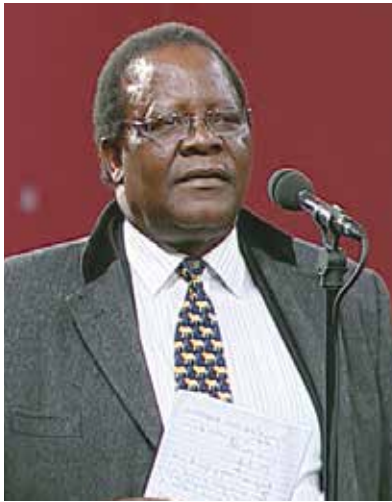


### Symposium: Family Values in Islam

An Islamic family is built on the values and teachings of the Qur'an and Sunnah, where each member of the family has his or her own rights and duties. Alhamdulillah, Dr Zakir Naik along with other internationally renowned speakers highlighted the importance of raising an Islamic family for building a peaceful society and ultimately a peaceful world.

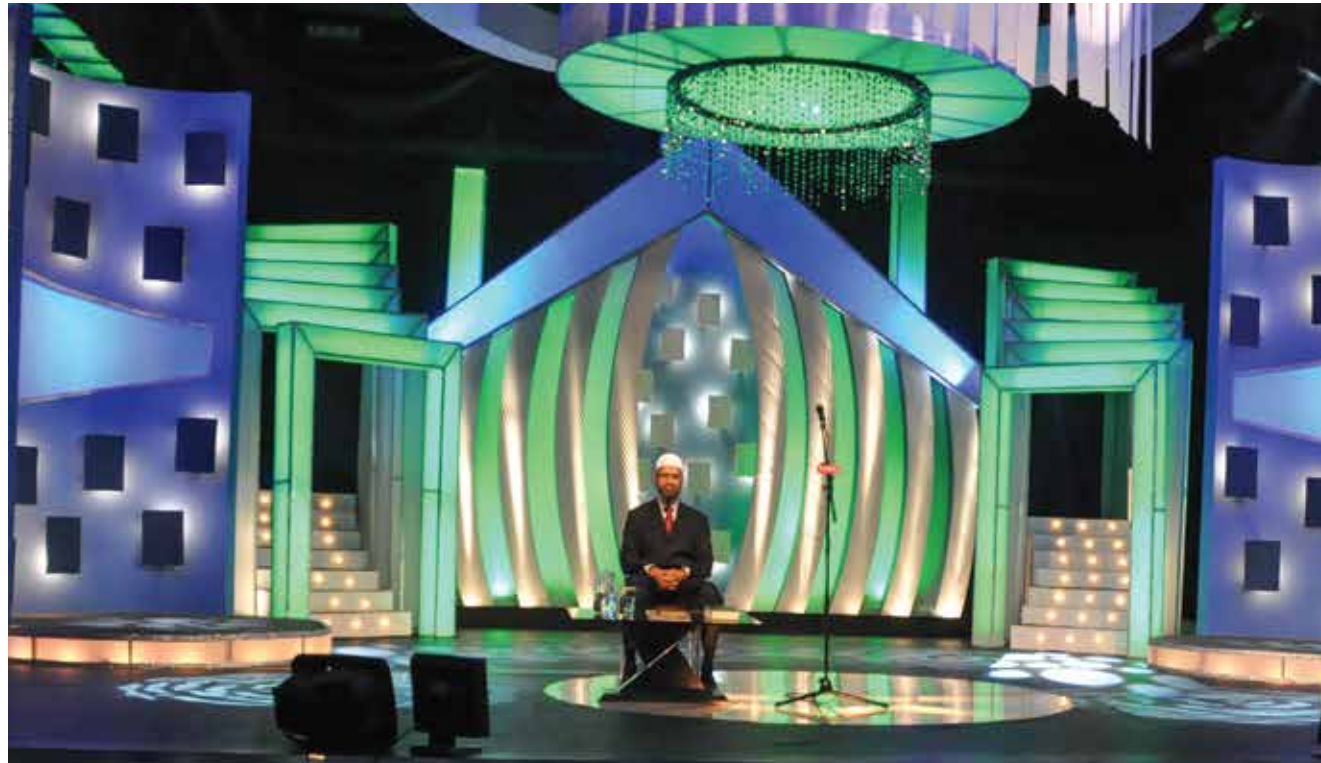






### Oxford Union Debate: Islam and the 21st Century

The most prestigious and one of the oldest Students' Union in the world at Oxford University, UK – the 'Oxford Union', had organized a Historic Debate of Dr Zakir Naik on the relevance of Islam in the 21st Century. Dr Zakir's outstanding talk on the topic followed by answering challenging questions from the audience was impeccable and totally convincing.



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# PUBLIC LECTURES ACROSS CONTINENTS





# SOUTH ASIA

## INDIA SRI LANKA MALDIVES

South Asia is a hot-bed for numerous religions and cultures, where people are quite sensitive about their faith and beliefs. In such challenging environs, since the inception of Islamic Research Foundation in Mumbai, in the year 1991, Alhamdulillah, Dr Zakir Naik has dared to deliver numerous public talks on Islam and Comparative Religion followed by Open Question & Answer Sessions not only in India but also its neighboring countries namely Sri Lanka and Maldives.







► Dr Zakir Naik addressing a crowd of over 1 million people, Alhamdulillah, one of the largest in the world for a religious lecture delivered by any single person (excluding conferences) at Kishanganj, Bihar, India in March 2012



- Alhamdulillah, Dr Zakir Naik continues to remain the only Islamic Speaker in the world to draw a crowd of more than a million for his solo lecture. And he has also been consistent in drawing crowds of more than a 100,000 on many occasions during the annual International Peace Conferences held in Mumbai, India, for five consecutive years from 2007-2011.







# EUROPE

ENGLAND  
SCOTLAND  
FRANCE  
ITALY

Alhamdulillah Dr Zakir Naik has been invited for lecture tours to various countries in Europe and has delivered many public talks, followed by Open Question & Answer Sessions. Among the notable countries are UK, France and Italy.











In his Public Talks and Open Question and Answer Sessions around the continent of Europe, Dr Zakir Naik has explicitly condemned any act of 'Terrorism' committed in the name of religion, irrespective of the faith the Terrorists adhere to.







# MIDDLE EAST

SAUDI ARABIA

UAE

KUWAIT

QATAR

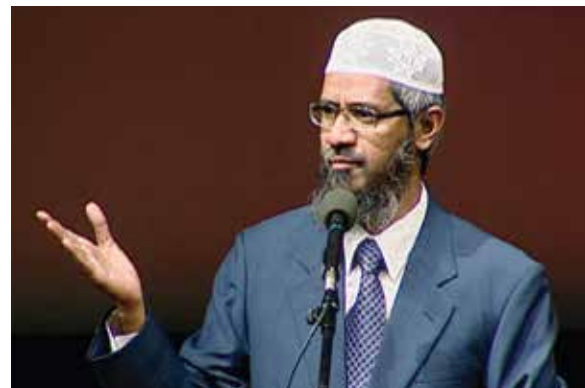
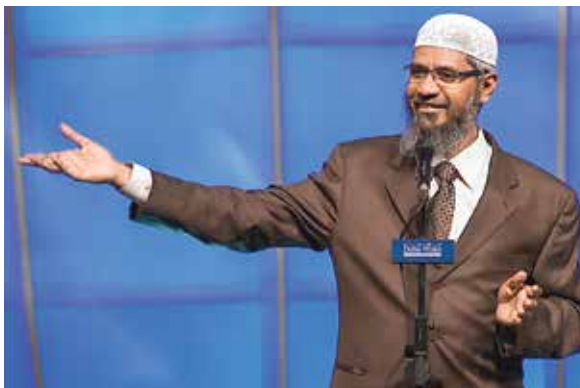
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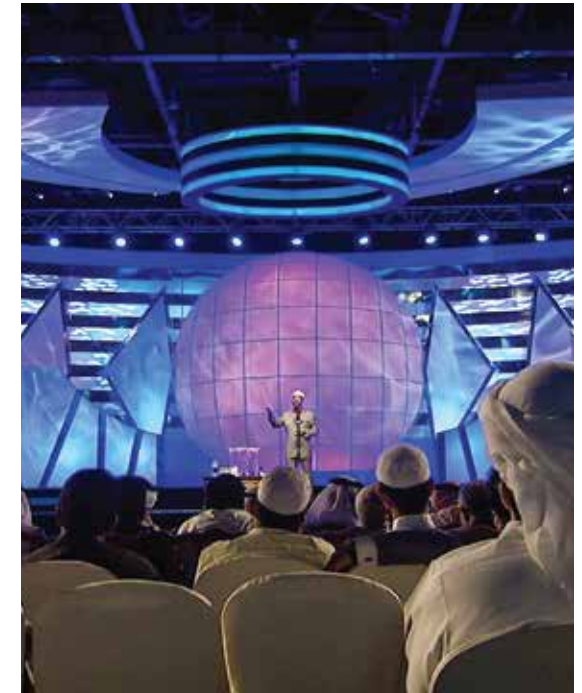
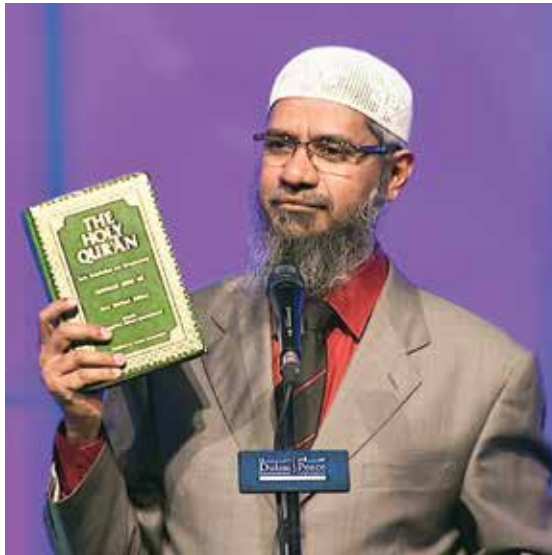


Alhamdulillah besides his numerous trips to the Holy Cities of Makkah and Madinah in Saudi Arabia, Dr Zakir Naik has toured Middle East (including all the six Gulf countries) delivering hundreds of talks on Islam and Comparative Religion and has helped clarify the Misconceptions about Islam through his engaging Question & Answer Sessions after his Public Lectures.









Dr Zakir Naik has enthralled the audiences across the Middle East with his convincing answers to challenging questions posed after his public talks. Moreover most of his public talks have been attended by large audiences in tens of thousands never witnessed for any other Speaker on Islam, Alhamdulillah.







# NORTH AMERICA

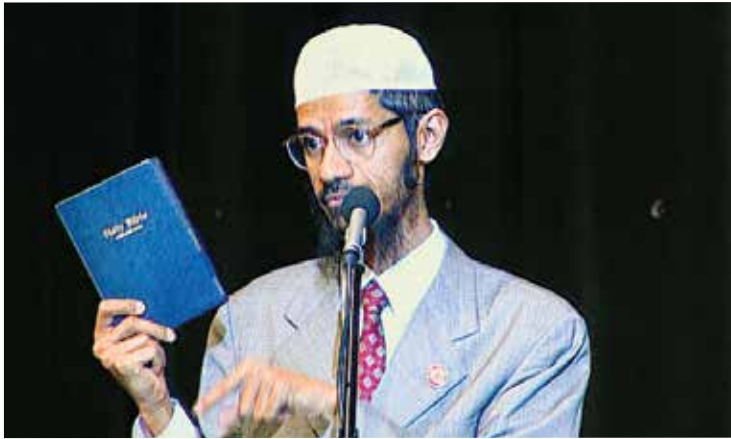
USA  
CANADA

Alhamdulillah since 1996 Dr Zakir Naik has delivered numerous Public Talks and held Debates and Symposia in North America especially the USA and Canada.









The 'Islamophobia' which has been propagated by the media, leads to many acts of violence and hate-crimes against the Muslims living in the West. Alhamdulillah, Dr Zakir Naik has been invited several times by leading North American Muslim Organizations to present the correct understanding of Islam and to remove the misconceptions surrounding this religion of Peace.





# SOUTH AMERICA

## GUYANA TRINIDAD & TOBAGO

Alhamdulillah since 2000 Dr Zakir Naik has delivered Public Talks in South America.









Islam has even reached the shores of the South American continent, Alhamdulillah. Following the foot-steps of Prophet Muhammad (pbuh) and the Sahaabah (ra), Dr Zakir Naik has been in the fore-front to convey the message of Islam across the globe including South America.







# AFRICA

SOUTH AFRICA

EGYPT

NIGERIA

GHANA

ALGERIA

MORROCCO

THE GAMBIA

BOTSWANA

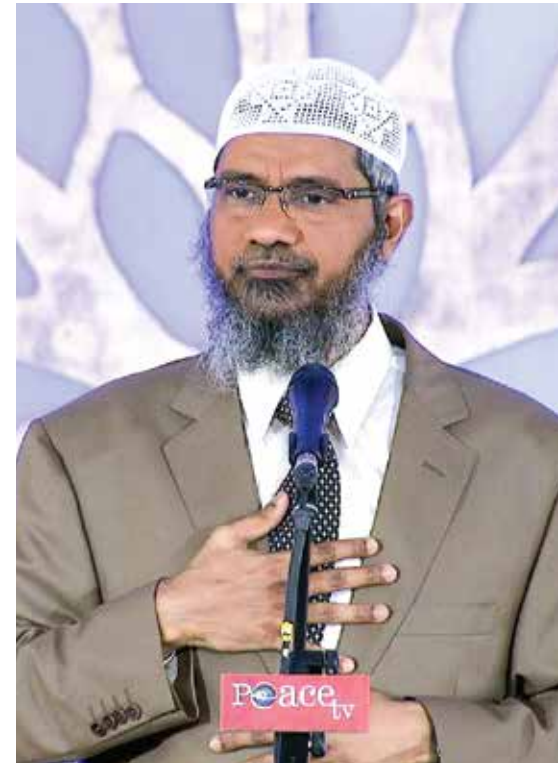
MAURITIUS



From the northern tip of Africa, Algeria, to the southern tip of Africa, South Africa, Dr Zakir Naik has enthralled the African audiences with his informative and inspiring speeches, followed by open Question & Answer Sessions.

Africa also holds a special place in the heart of Dr Zakir Naik because it happens to be the continent where his inspiration and mentor late Shaikh Ahmed Deadat hails from.







Since 1994 Dr Zakir Naik is giving Public Talks in Africa. In the year 2013 and 2014, Dr Zakir Naik's Lecture Tours to Nigeria, Ghana and The Gambia in Africa respectively was a resounding success wherein many Christians accepted the true faith – Islam.







# SOUTH EAST ASIA

MALAYSIA  
INDONESIA  
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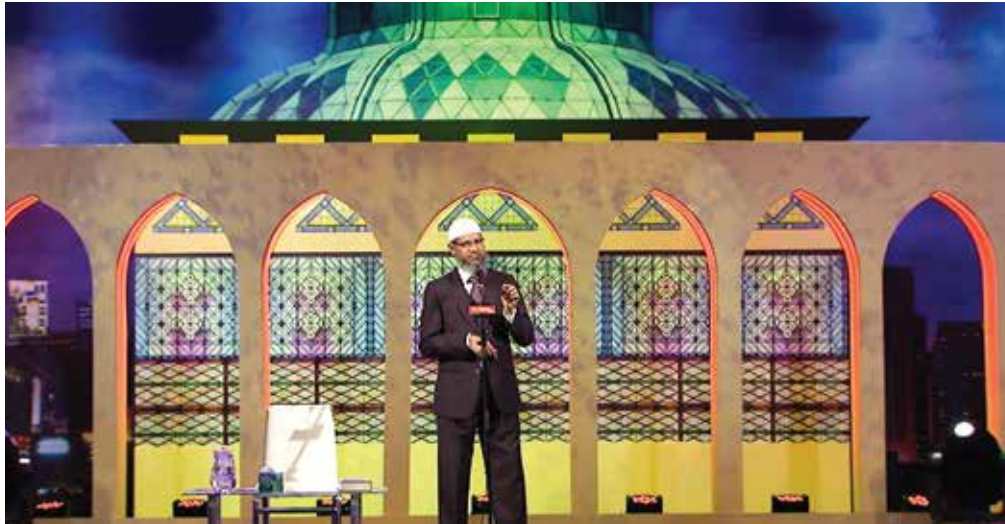


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In the past two decades Dr Zakir Naik has delivered several talks on Islam and Comparative Religion to large audiences in the heart of South East Asia, in countries like Malaysia, Indonesia, Singapore, Thailand and Brunei.







# NORTH EAST ASIA

CHINA  
HONG KONG



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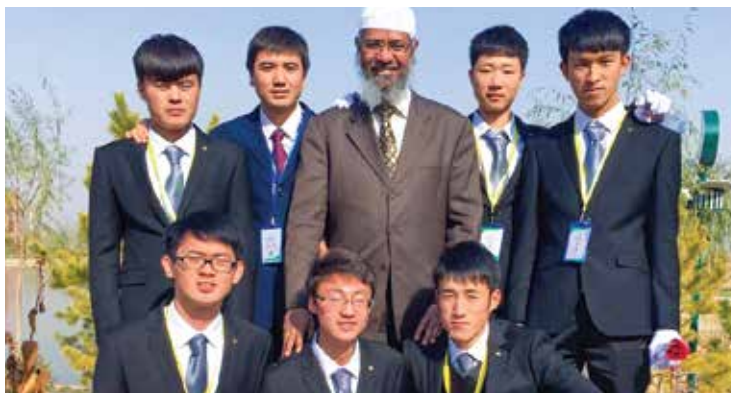








Dr Zakir Naik's several lecture tours to China and other North East Asian countries will In Sha Allah help him to launch Peace TV Chinese in October 2015, In Sha Allah. On achieving this feat Peace TV will In Sha Allah reach the audiences who speak Chinese (Mandarin) – the most widely spoken language in the world.







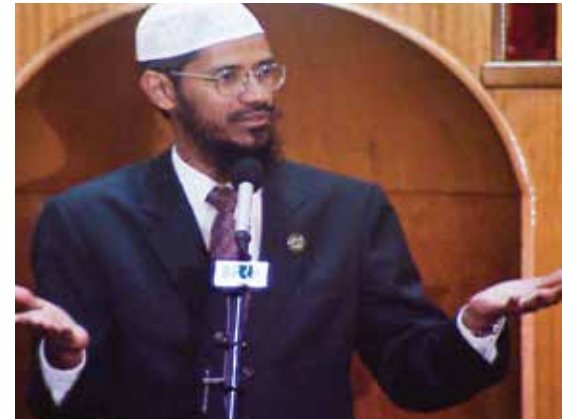
# AUSTRALASIA

AUSTRALIA  
NEW ZEALAND



Alhamdulillah since 2001 Dr Zakir Naik has delivered many Public Talks, followed by Open Question and Answer Sessions, in Australia and New Zealand.







“Islam will enter every home” said Prophet Muhammad (pbuh). Dr Zakir Naik prays to Allah (swt) to make him and Peace TV Network instrumental in fulfillment of this Hadith. His lecture tours to the far-separated continent of Australasia is one such endeavor.





Many popular and internationally acclaimed Newspapers, Magazines, Blogs, News Websites in various languages of the world regularly cover news related to Dr Zakir Naik



# MEDIA REPORTS WORLDWIDE





# ENGLISH

## NEWS ARTICLES

Over the years, Newspapers in the English language have become one of the primary mediums of conveying News about Dr Zakir Naik and his Da'wah Activities across the globe.

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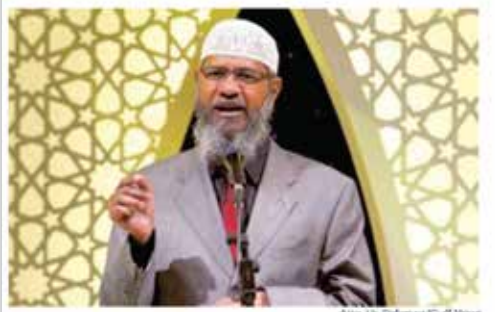


Dr Zakir Naik wins the 'King Faisal International Prize 2015' for 'Service to Islam' featured prominently on cover page in Arab News, Saudi Arabia, the leading English Daily of the Middle East.



## Doctor-turned-preacher sheds light on Muslim identity

MORE THAN 5,000 PEOPLE ATTEND NAIK'S LECTURE ON ISLAM AND MODERNITY AT FORUM



Dr. Zakir Naik speaking at a podium during his lecture.

## No religion spreads violence: Sri Sri

Religious intolerance is a threat to world peace, says Sri Sri Chaitanya, a prominent Hindu spiritual leader. He said that while religion is a source of strength and inspiration, it should not be used to spread fear or hatred. He emphasized the importance of tolerance and understanding between different faiths.

## MUSLIM JOURNAL

The Zakir Naik Foundation's new magazine, 'Muslim Journal', is a quarterly publication that aims to provide a platform for Muslims to express their views on various issues. It covers topics such as religion, science, and social issues. The magazine is published by the Zakir Naik Foundation and is available in both print and digital formats.

## A mega event in Kuwait history

Dr. Zakir Naik's lecture on 'Islam and Modernity' was a landmark event in Kuwait's history. It was held at the Al-Basra International Hotel and attracted over 5,000 attendees. The lecture was part of a series of events organized by the Zakir Naik Foundation to promote understanding and dialogue between different faiths.

## LECTURE: Dr Zakir Naik

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## Call for Islamic TV channel

It is needed to protect young Muslims from other religious missions - scholar

Dr. Zakir Naik has called for the establishment of an Islamic TV channel to protect young Muslims from the influence of other religious missions. He said that such a channel would provide a platform for Muslims to learn about their faith and to engage in dialogue with other faiths. The channel would also serve as a source of inspiration and guidance for Muslims.

## BAHRAIN TRIBUNE

### Top Indian Islamic scholar begins lecture tour of Bahrain

Dr. Zakir Naik, a prominent Indian Islamic scholar, has begun his lecture tour of Bahrain. He is scheduled to give several lectures on various topics related to Islam and modernity. His tour is part of a series of events organized by the Zakir Naik Foundation to promote understanding and dialogue between different faiths.

## THE ASIAN AGE

### 'Islam means peace to humanity'

Dr. Zakir Naik has emphasized that Islam is a religion of peace and that it promotes the well-being of all humanity. He said that the message of Islam is one of love, compassion, and understanding. He called on people to embrace the teachings of Islam and to live in harmony with others.

## THE TIMES OF INDIA

### Islam champion of women's rights: scholar

Dr. Zakir Naik has been praised for his advocacy of women's rights in Islam. He has argued that Islam provides a framework for the protection and empowerment of women. He has called on society to recognize the rights of women and to ensure that they are treated with dignity and respect.

## New Straits Times

### 'To succeed, Muslims must understand Quran'

Dr. Zakir Naik has stressed the importance of understanding the Quran for Muslims to succeed in life. He said that the Quran is the source of guidance and inspiration for Muslims and that it contains the answers to many of the questions that people face. He called on Muslims to study the Quran carefully and to apply its teachings in their lives.







OMAN DAILY  
**Observer**

Public talk on concept of God in major religions



Dr Zakir Naik, a noted Islamic scholar and orator, addressed a mammoth gathering of expatriates at a public function held at the Al Jasra Eid Prayer Grounds in Doha. After an enlightening speech, the scholar answered queries from the audience on a wide range of topics and issues related with Islam and Muslims.

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**Khalegi Times**  
Khaleji Times / 10 July 2004



**A true Muslim must wear his faith proudly: Dr Naik**

Over 5000 attend eagerly awaited lecture, seven embrace Islam

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**The Indian EXPRESS**

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**How this doctor-turned-orator will cast a spell today**

**MOHAMMED WAJIDUDDIN**  
DECEMBER 31

SANDWICHED between an old graveyard and rows of ramshackle houses is a quaint spiritual centre.

But then the Islamic Research Foundation (IRF) does't need a fancy setting. Its daisily done-up virtual hole-in-the-wall in Dongri is as famous as the Kheja Muslim Kalanji.

And presiding over the IRF's multi-faceted activities is Dr Zakir Naik (38), a lanky, bearded man who is trained in medicine but practices oratory, bridging chasms between different communities.

As Mumbai plunges into a festive mood on January 1, Naik will talk to a crowd of over 20,000 at Arad Masjid.

Sitting in his small office, its walls lined with suras (the Quran, the Bible, the Vedas and the Upanishads) Naik proposes: "To say all religions are equal is rubbish. Instead of harping on inaccurate clichés, we must seek a confluence of different faiths."

Quelling clothes and building bridges, Naik has tramped out to millions of "disturbed souls" across 150 countries through his CDs and VCDs.

"I am not saying anything new. I am just opening minds that have been sealed shut by bigotry. In India, the walls and pandits have hidden the truth. It's time someone helped the masses see light," he proclaims.

Cosidering from a family of doctors (his father Adil Karam is a noted paediatricist and elder brother Mohammed practices medicine), Naik was initially studying to be a doctor at Nait Hospital.

Then, in 1997, Naik heard Ahmed Deedat, a noted scholar on comparative religion from South Africa, speak.

In his lecture, Deedat quoted Verse 33, Chapter 41 of the Quran: "Who is better in speech than one who calls men to Allah, works righteousness and says, 'I submit myself to God'."

"I was fascinated by this verse. It changed my life. From a doctor, I turned into an orator," says Naik, glancing at the same verse inscribed on his office wall.

That was this missionary's boss.

(Dr Zakir Naik delivers his speech on 'Similarities between Hinduism and Islam' at 6.45 pm at Arad Masjid on Thursday)

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**Students urged to compare religion with science**

DOHA: Noted Indian Islamic scholar and orator Dr Zakir Naik has urged students to learn religions from their authentic sources and compare their teachings with scientific truths.


He was speaking at a students' meet organised by Centre for Islaht Students (CIS), the students wing of Qatar Indian Islaht Centre, at Doha Paradise hotel auditorium on Thursday. The speaker claimed that the Holy Quran is the only scripture that goes in harmony with modern scientific truths.

"Quran is not a book of science but a book of signs that explains more than 6,000 signs of the Almighty Allah," he added.

The lecture was followed by a question and answer session. Another noted Islamic scholar Dr Bilal Philips presided over the function.

The programme started with recitation of verses from the Holy Quran by Sajid Ali. CIS General Secretary Fahad bin Thabith welcomed the gathering and CIS girls wing vice president Firooz Moide proposed a vote of thanks. The programme was organised in co-operation with Qatar Guest Centre.

Yesterday, Naik addressed a mammoth gathering of expatriates at a public function held at the Al Jasra Eid Prayer Grounds in Doha. After an enlightening speech, the scholar answered queries from the audience on a wide range of topics and issues related with Islam and Muslims.



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# ARABIC

## NEWS ARTICLES



Dr Zakir Naik being welcomed by King Abdullah bin Abdul Aziz Al-Saud of Saudi Arabia at his palace in Riyadh, in 2007, featured prominently in the Arabic Media.







Arabic language is the official language of 20 countries and about 300 million people speak in Arabic across the world. Hundreds of Arabic language Newspapers published to cater to their needs, are the source of information for the common masses about Dr Zakir Naik and his Da'wah Activities.







# URDU

## NEWS ARTICLES



Urdu language is widely understood and spoken by the majority of Muslims in the Indian sub-continent.

Dr Zakir Naik is also popular for his public talks in the Urdu language. The common masses knowing Urdu adore him. Hence they want to be updated about his latest Da'wah activities. This demand is catered to by the Urdu Media and hundreds of articles have been published till date covering Dr Zakir Naik, his Da'wah Activities and his Public Programmes.













# OTHER LANGUAGES

## NEWS ARTICLES

Newspapers in French, Chinese, Malay, Hindi, Marathi, Tamil, Malayalam and other languages cover Dr Zakir Naik's public programmes regularly.









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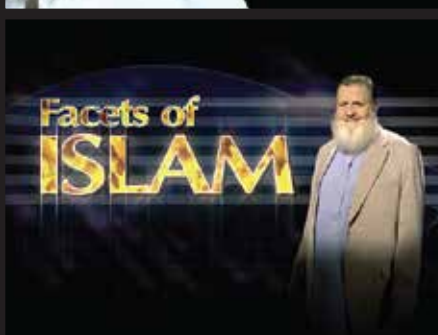
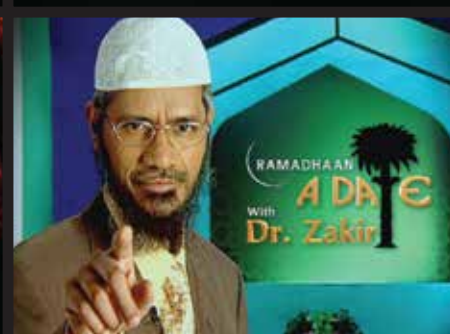
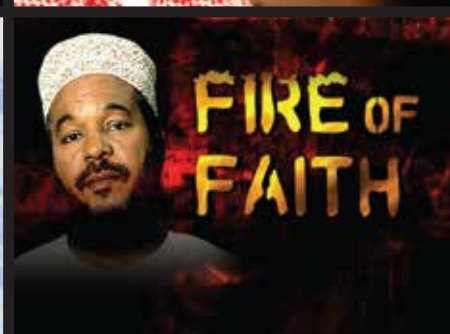
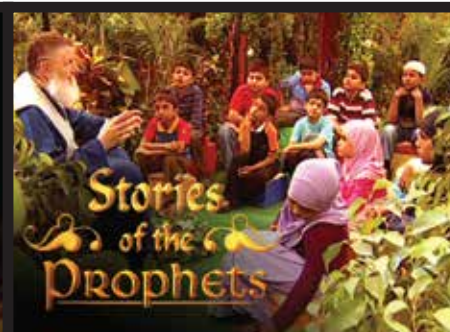
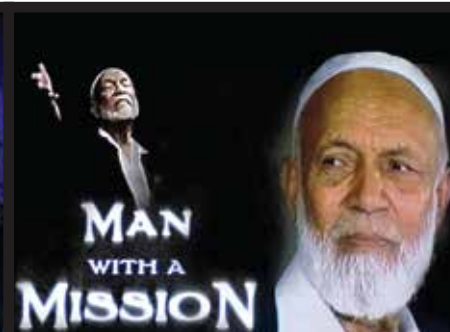
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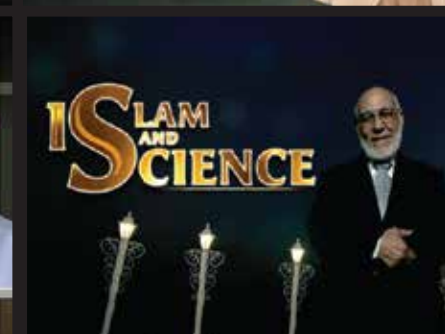
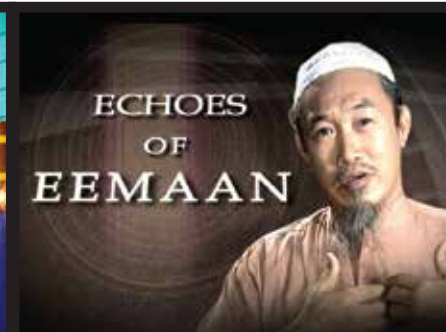
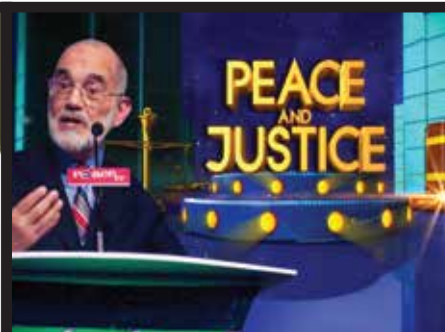
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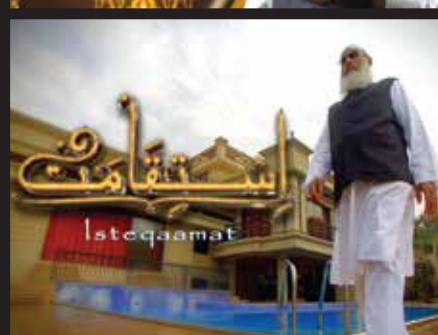
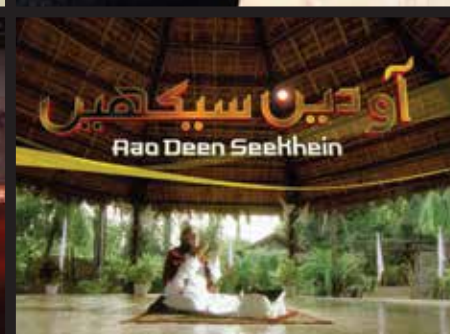
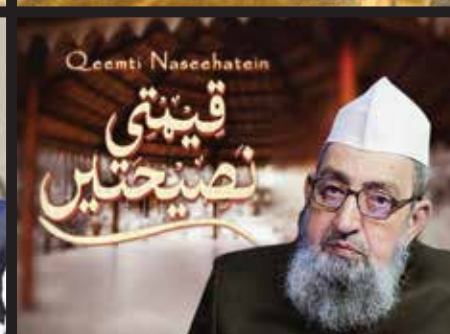
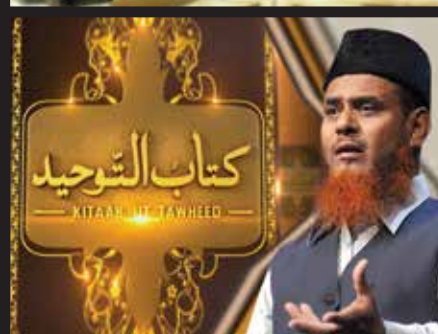
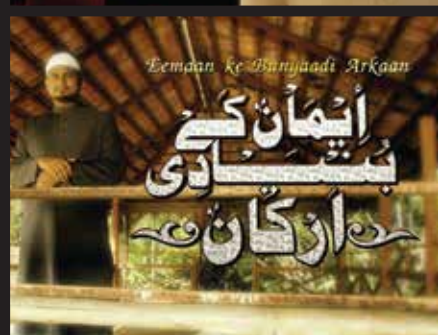
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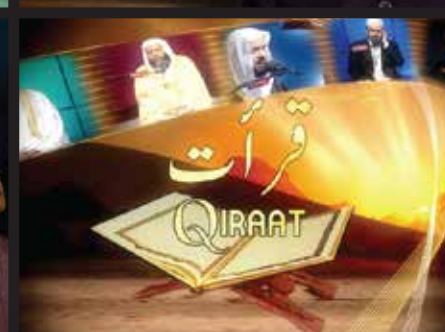
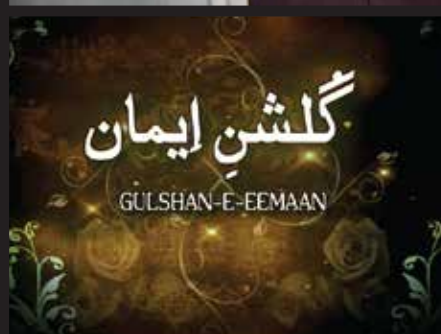
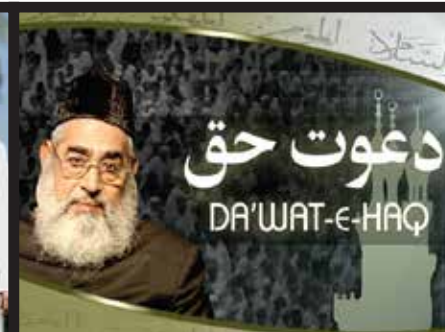
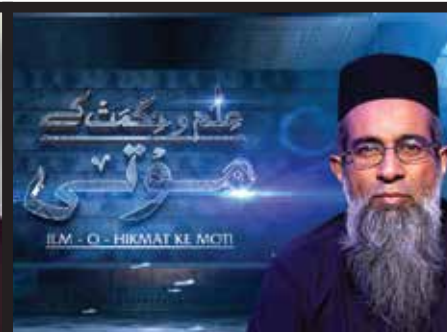
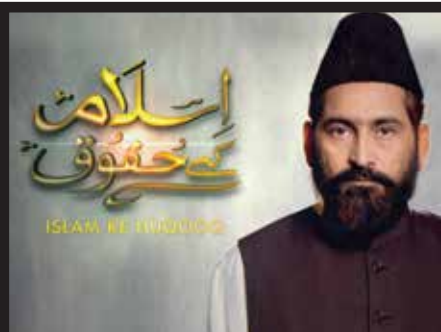
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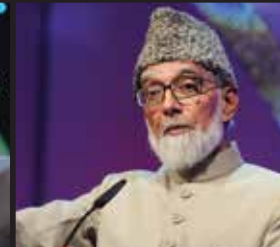
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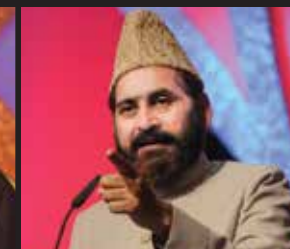
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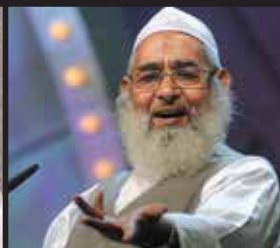
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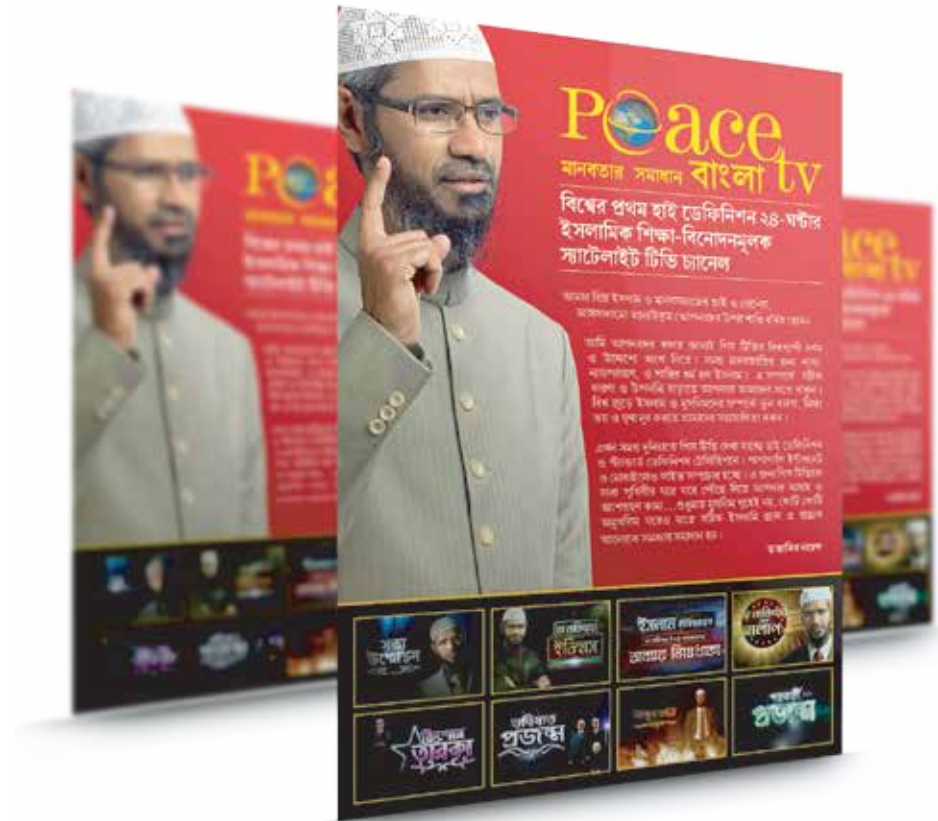
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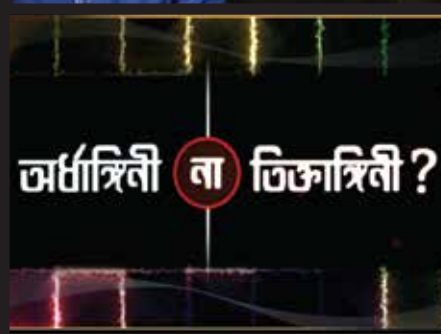
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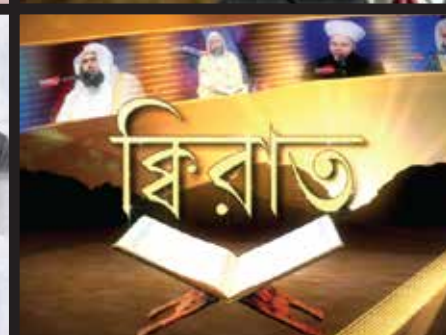
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# ON SATELLITE TV CHANNELS WORLDWIDE

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# FACEBOOK

## DR ZAKIR NAIK IRF IIS

Realizing the potential Social Media has to effectively spread the message of Islam to the Global audience Dr Zakir Naik, Islamic Research Foundation and Islamic International School have initiated their official Facebook pages namely Dr Zakir Naik, IRF and IIS.





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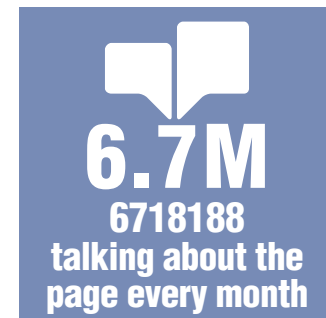
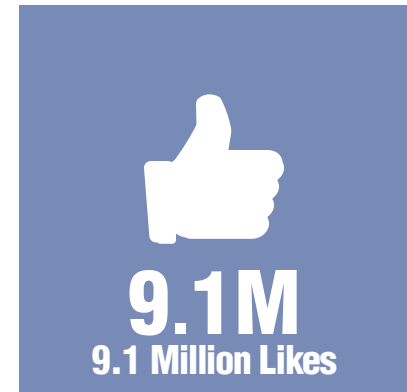


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## Facebook Da'wah through Social Networking

Alhamdulillah in a short span of less than 2½ years all the 4 official pages have been able to elicit a phenomenal response, especially the official page of Dr Zakir Naik which has registered more than 9.1 Million likes in less than 2½ years – it being the highest amongst the International Orators on Islam in English.



Average Users







# YOUTUBE

## DR ZAKIR NAIK'S OFFICIAL YOUTUBE CHANNEL HAVING LARGE COLLECTION OF VIDEOS IN HD

Taking into account the vast reach of YouTube as a video sharing and viewing platform IRF has capitalized on the opportunity to spread the Message of Islam to the 'YouTube Generation' by launching 'Dr Zakir Naik's Official Youtube Channel' on 5th January 2011





## YouTube Vice President says : 'Dr Zakir Naik Awesome'

Milestone of 100,000 YouTube subscribers commemorated by YouTube

On reaching the milestone of 100,000 subscribers, YouTube awarded the official channel of Dr Zakir Naik with the SILVER PLAY BUTTON and a Letter of Appreciation from Tom Pickett, Vice President and Global Head of Content Operations of YouTube.

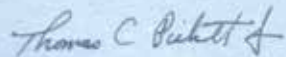
One hundred thousand subscribers. That's more than double the size of a packed Roman Colosseum and more than 10 times the number of people who set the human domino world record. We understand the dedication and talent it takes to reach 100,000 YouTube viewers. We want you to know that we don't take your achievement for granted. You delivered the audience. Now we're delivering the rewards.

To commemorate your milestone of 100,000 YouTube subscribers, please accept with our congratulations this Silver Play Button.

We know you'll continue to create amazing content and bring in more fans, so we'll keep looking for new ways to reward you.

Thanks for being awesome.

Sincerely,



Tom Pickett, VP, Global Head of Content Operations, YouTube



## YouTube : Drzakirchannel

Ultimate Collection of Dr Zakir Naik's lectures and Question & Answer sessions

Alhamdulillah, there are over 14 Million videoclips of Dr Zakir Naik available on YouTube along with 1893 videos that have been uploaded on the Official 'DrZakirChannel' in HD format to enable the viewers to view the videos in the best quality possible.

Alhamdulillah, since its inception in 2011, the channel has recieved an overwhelming response, registering over 11.1 million views and over 170,464 subscriptions.



**1893**

Over 1800 videos  
uploaded



**11.1M**

11166568 Viewers



**44K**

44458 videos  
shared worldwide



**52.9K**

52942  
talking about this



**606M**

60644892 Million  
Minutes Watched

**170464**

Over 170 Thousand Subscribers



**87%**  
Male

Average Viewers

**13%**  
Female







# WEBSITES

PEACE TV ENGLISH

PEACE TV URDU

PEACE TV BANGLA

PEACE TV CHINESE

IRF

IIS

UIA

IBI



The Islamic Research Foundation and its associated organisations operate / maintain eight websites to cater to the needs of those who want to learn about Islam and Comparative Religion as well as want to be updated about the latest programmes and facilities.





## DR ZAKIR NAIK'S WEBSITES CONNECT

Peace TV English, Peace TV Urdu, Peace TV Bangla, Peace TV Chinese, Islamic Research Foundation,  
Islamic International School, United Islamic Aid, and Islamic Books International



PEACE TV URDU

PEACE TV ENGLISH

PEACE TV BANGLA





# DVDs

## DR ZAKIR NAIK'S LECTURES AND Q & A COLLECTION

A large collection of HD-DVDs and DVDs of Dr Zakir Naik are available at various Islamic Centers, Media Outlets and other distribution outlets across the globe.







## Dr Zakir Naik's DVD Collection

Alhamdulillah, in the past 19 years of his Da'wah activities Dr Zakir Naik has addressed more than 2000 Public Talks, Symposia, Debates and Open Question & Answer Sessions internationally. Many of these were video recorded, backed by the best available Media technology, Creativity, Research and Operational Management. These recordings are accessible to the public in HD-DVD and DVD formats worldwide.







# BOOKS

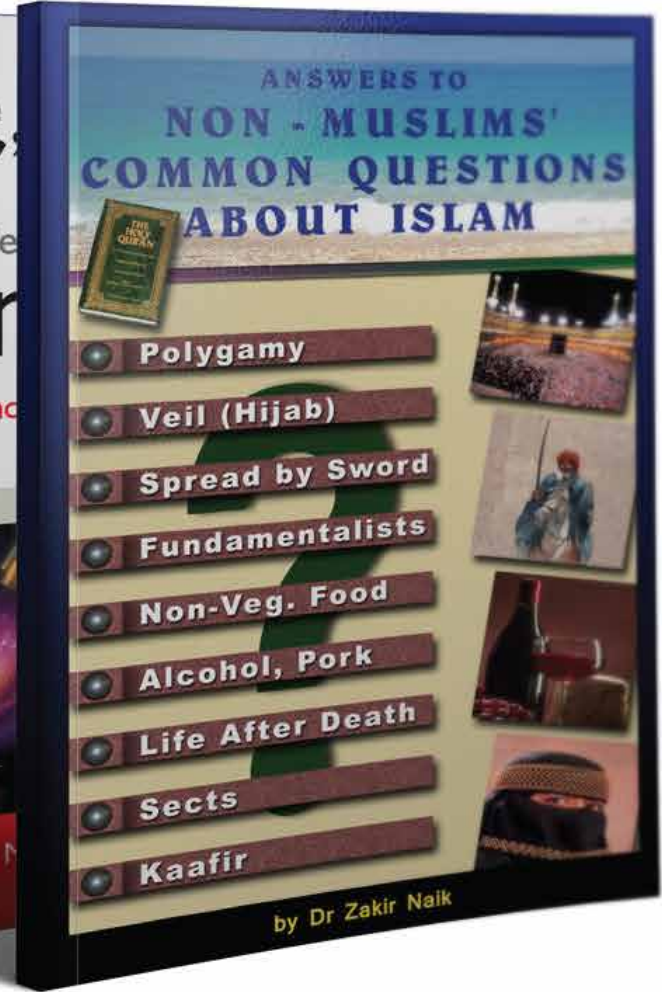
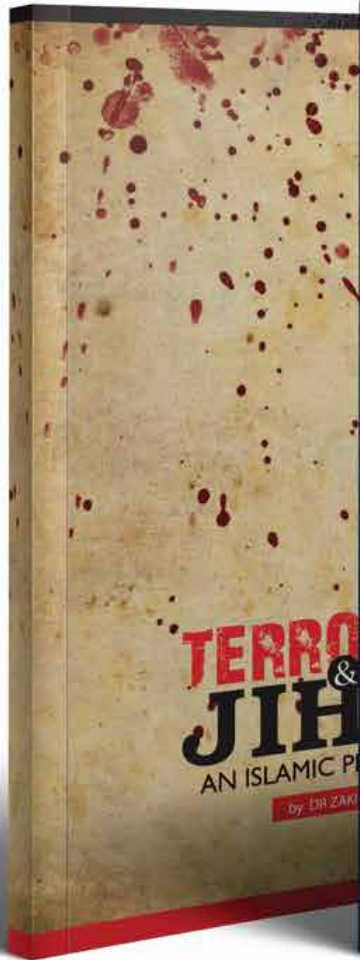
## BY DR ZAKIR NAIK ON ISLAM AND COMPARATIVE RELIGION



A range of books on Islam and Comparative Religion inviting humanity towards the true way of life – Islam, written by Dr Zakir Naik, are available worldwide.

Islamic Books International, Mumbai, can be contacted for information on outlets where available.

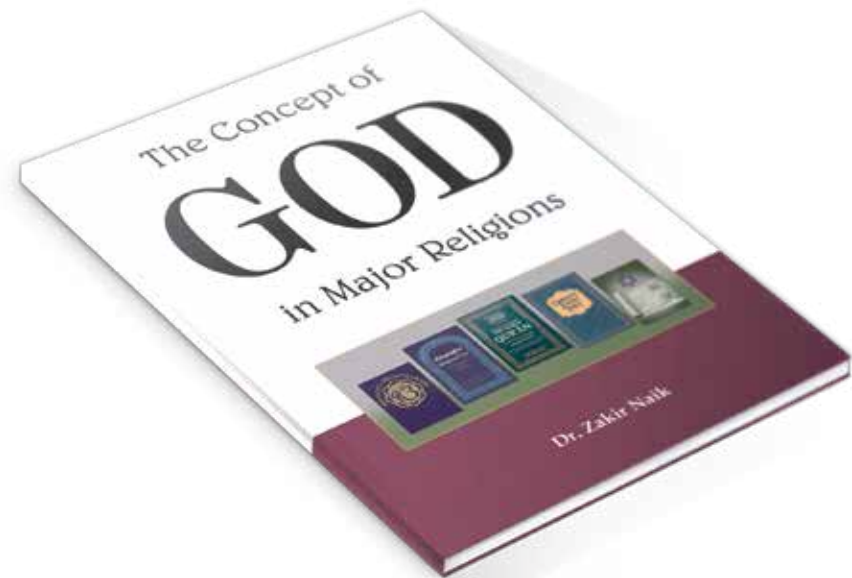




## Collection of Books authored by Dr Zakir Naik

Alhamdulillah, Dr Zakir Naik has authored many books on Islam and Comparative Religion on a variety of subjects like 'The Concept of God in Major Religions', 'The Qur'an & Modern Science – Compatible or Incompatible?' and 'Similarities Between Hinduism and Islam'. He has also authored books that clarify Islamic viewpoints and clear misconceptions about Islam like 'Terrorism & Jihad – an Islamic Perspective' and 'Answers to Non-Muslims' Common Questions about Islam'.

These high quality multi-colour books are printed by the IRF in large quantities and distributed free of cost to Muslims and Non-Muslims worldwide.







# ISLAMIC RESEARCH FOUNDATION

## MUMBAI

A dynamic leap in organized Islamic Da'wah work  
the IRF is a one stop global hub for  
'International Dawah Activities.'

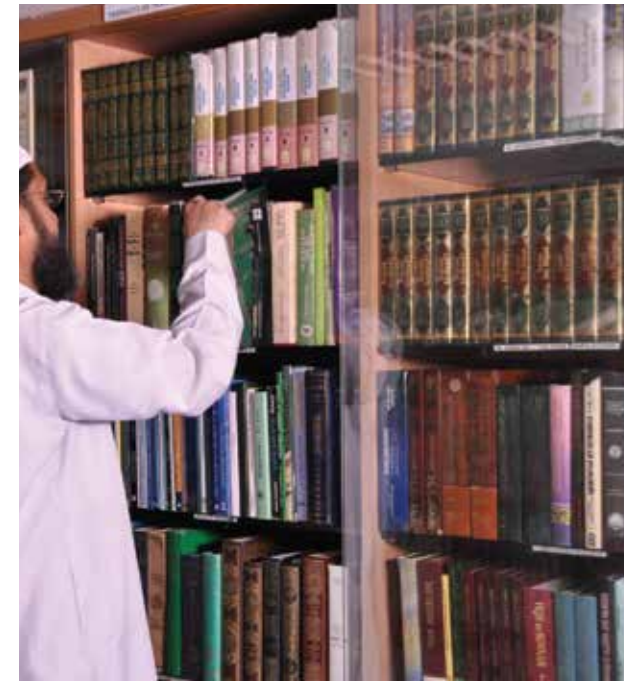
# IRF



► The IRF Office Reception for visitors







## Islamic Research Foundation Mumbai

The Islamic Research Foundation (IRF) Mumbai, India, was established in February 1991. It promotes Islamic Da'wah - the proper presentation, understanding and appreciation of Islam, as well as removing misconceptions about Islam – amongst less aware Muslims and Non-Muslims using modern technology for its activities.

Its presentation of Islam reach millions of people worldwide through international satellite TV channels, Cable TV networks, Internet and the Print Media. IRF's activities and facilities provide the much needed understanding about the truth and excellence of Islamic teachings – based on the glorious Qur'an and authentic Hadith, as well as adhering to reason, logic and scientific facts.







# UNITED ISLAMIC AID

AN APPEAL TO  
THOSE WHO THINK  
THEIR MONEY IS  
NOT THEIR MONEY

IT'S THE  
ALMIGHTY'S MONEY



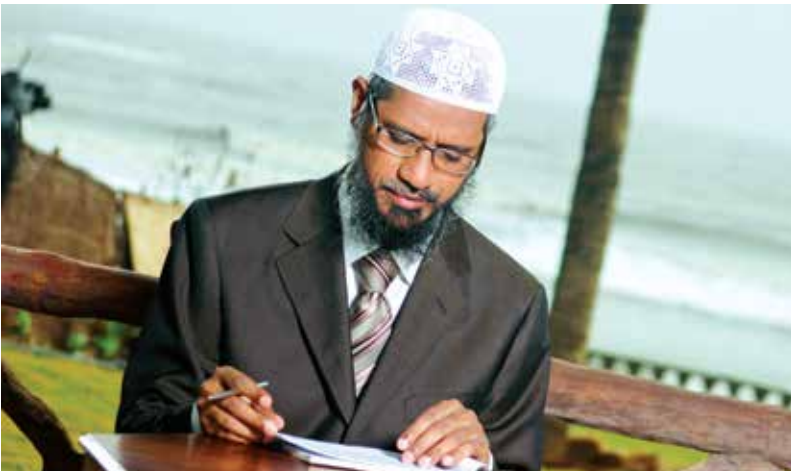


## United Islamic Aid

Philanthropy for the Poor and Needy

IRF invited people of revolutionary vision to uplift the state of the Muslim Ummah by joining hands and participating in the "United Islamic Aid," a 'Baitul Maal,' to club their Zakaat money systematically and open up an effective horizon of hope for the many underprivileged poor and needy Muslim brothers and sisters.

This unique, well-organized central treasury, a type of 'Baitul Maal' called the "United Islamic Aid," that is run under Dr Zakir Naik's very personal supervision, in effect changes the lives of many unfortunate Muslims for the better in a more dynamic and organized way.



# ISLAMIC INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

MUMBAI  
CHENNAI



School Education for Both the Worlds –  
this Duniya (World) and the Akhirah  
(Hereafter).



V-B

LABORATORY



## Conceived & Developed by Dr Zakir Naik

The Islamic International School, Alhamdulillah, provides Muslim children excellent quality education and facilities for their overall development. They are taught moral values and various skills to face the dynamic challenges and opportunities of life with care, confidence and self-discipline.

An unislamic environment can result in the corruption of a virtuous Muslim child's Islamic understanding, upbringing and values and his / her falling prey to the bad influences and immorality prevalent in society. Therefore there is a great demand for Islamic Schools like the IIS.







# ISLAMIC INTERNATIONAL JUNIOR COLLEGE

MUMBAI  
CHENNAI



College Education for this 'Dunya' (World) and the 'Aakhirah' (Hereafter).





Alhamdulillah Dr Zakir Naik visited several Islamic and educational institutions worldwide and interacted with many experts on school and university education to grasp their approach towards Islamic orientation, teaching methodology, curriculum implementation and management. The progressive and innovative insights gained from these meetings led to the birth and development of Islamic International Junior College.





*Jazak Allahu Khairan*